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TELLS OF ICE COUNTRY

EVELYN BRIGGS BALDWIN, WHO LECTURES AT SEDALIA CHAUTAUQUA.

NOT TREATED FAIRLY BY RIVALS

Packed by Ziegler, He Established Point on Franz Josef Land—To Deliver Lectures in Southwest.

Evelyn Briggs Baldwin, who lectures at the Sedalia Chautauqua Tuesday night, July 30, passed through St. Louis last night.

This series of lectures will be delivered in Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Iowa and eastward from that state, lasting until August.

On the fourth trip to the North Pole Baldwin went as far as a fraction less than 82 degrees. That was in 1901-02 in what is known as the Baldwin-Ziegler expedition. Stations were established on the northeast corner of Greenland, of which Mr. Baldwin expects to avail himself in the event he tries to make another effort to locate the pole, which he declares he desires to do.

The trip on that occasion was made in the "America," leaving the United States in June 1901, and reaching Norway on the return trip in August, 1902, and New York, September, 1902. Mr. Baldwin believes that he has not received fair treatment at the hands of the other explorers. In the last expedition he was backed to the extent of \$140,000 by William Ziegler, of New York, whose name is attached to the dash for the pole.

Mr. Baldwin believes that Walter Wellman, who is making a trip to the north by balloon from Spitzbergen; Herbert Bridgman, secretary of the Peary Arctic club, and W. S. Champ, Ziegler's private secretary, endeavored to turn Ziegler away from the work done in the expedition by belittling it.

Fifteen stations were established in Franz Josef land, which are available the next time the northern trip is made by Mr. Baldwin, provided they have not been destroyed in the meanwhile. The point reached farthest north is on the northernmost island of Franz Josef land, being a fraction less than 82 degrees, a distance of 480 geographical or 560 statute miles.

From that point to the pole, when Baldwin makes another trip, he expects to close up the remaining gap in four weeks, taking his own time in returning home.

"I have made four expeditions," replied Mr. Baldwin to a question from a St. Louis Times reporter relative to his northern trips. "The first was in 1893 and 1894 as meteorologist to the Peary expedition; in 1897 as a volunteer to Andre in his balloon from the balloon station at Spitzbergen. But before I arrived there for the dash there was a good southerly wind and Andre left without me.

"I received a letter from Andre which he wrote before getting away, in which he thanked me for confidence in the undertaking and the confidence I possessed in his then proposed voyage and my offer to accompany him. In 1898 and 1899 I was second in command of the Wellman expedition.

"The fourth trip was the Baldwin-Ziegler expedition in 1901-02, and which is really still being made, for there are stations that are available and a great amount of work done that will serve in future explorations. "The temperature was 50 degrees below zero," continued the explorer in response to questions. "Of all the hardships which were necessary on such a trip was the biting and intense cold, the darkness and the isolation."

Then the explorer explained how he was accompanied on the last expedition by 42 men. There were 400 dogs in the service and 15 Siberian horses. Supplies and food for two years were taken on the trip, but this was not needed.

On the sledge journey there were 33 men. During the winter one-half of the dogs died.

While Mr. Baldwin is unable to say when he will make another expedition, all other men who have become interested in the work, he lives in hope that he will be the one who finally locates the long desired point.

Mr. Baldwin is a native Missourian.

having been born in Springfield. He left Missouri during the civil war, but he has not lost interest in the state to which he owes his birth. On several occasions he has visited friends in Missouri.

Went After His Auto.

W. J. Crouch, who with W. H. Coney and others went to Kansas City in automobiles last week and had to abandon their machines at Pleasant Hill Sunday on account of the rain, went to Pleasant Hill this morning to get his machine. Provided the roads are fair, he will return with the machine, otherwise the trip will have to be abandoned.

Fined for Assault.

Will Raglin, a negro, was fined \$5 and costs by Judge Clark today for making a common assault on Eunice Davis, a negress.

STRUNG HIM UP TO POLE

NEGRO WHO HAD KILLED BRAKEMAN WAS LYNCHED IN OKLAHOMA.

HAD BEEN PUT OFF OF KATY TRAIN

Lay in Wait for Man Who Had Ejected Him and Shot Him in the Breast—Was Hanged Few Hours Later.

Osage, Okla., July 17.—Frank Bailey, a negro, was lynched by a mob consisting of fifteen men and boys here last night, after he had shot and mortally wounded Frank Kelly, a brakeman on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad.

Kelly ejected the negro from a train at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The negro hid in the yards and as the train passed, upon the top of which Kelly was standing, shot him, the bullet entering Kelly's breast.

A mob formed at 10 o'clock last night and overpowered two officers, who had Bailey in custody, took the negro to the scene of the crime and hanged him to a telegraph pole.

FINED FIFTY DOLLARS

Lon H. Hansberger Was at Warsaw Tuesday Morning.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Warsaw, Mo., July 17.—Yesterday Lon H. Hansberger, a former Sedalian, but now traveling out of Kansas City for a hat house, was fined \$50 and costs in the police court for having insulted a young woman at the Central hotel, where he was a guest, while in his cups. Mr. Hansberger went to Sedalia last evening.

It is said citizens of this city will address a letter to Mr. Hansberger's employers, requesting that some other salesman be sent to this territory in future.

ASLEEP UNDER A PORCH

Was Fined Five Dollars in Police Court Today.

Joe Williams, a negro, was caught under the porch of Mrs. Sarah E. Cotton's residence, on East Broadway, by Officer Farmer last night and locked in jail.

In police court this morning he explained that he went to the place to see his daughter, who was absent, and while under the influence of liquor went to sleep under the porch. He was fined \$5.

T. J. Burns, a contractor, was arrested last night for carrying concealed weapons. His case was continued until the 27th inst.

Charged With Theft.

Clark Moon was arrested by Deputy Constable Phalings today, charged with stealing a scythe from G. H. Scruton. Moon was sent to jail, pending trial in Judge Rickman's court.

Took Horses to Higginsville.

H. E. Colvin left this morning for Higginsville, taking three horses to be entered in the races there July 30, viz: "Mattie D," "Jeff Hopkins" and "Daisy."

WILL GET VERY LITTLE

THOSE WHO HAD DEPOSITS IN THE SALMON BANK AT CLINTON, MO.

THE REFEREE, CRITTENDEN, WRITES

Of the Present Condition of Affairs, And it is Certainly the Very Reverse of Encouraging For Depositors.

Several days since the editor of the Clinton Democrat wrote to Governor Thos. T. Crittenden, trustee of the Salmon & Salmon bank at Clinton, stating that Democrat readers would much appreciate a statement as to the present status of the Salmon & Salmon estate. In reply Governor Crittenden writes us as follows:

Kansas City, Mo., July 13, 1907. Chas. H. Whitaker, Clinton, Mo., Dear Sir:—Your letter of the 8th inst., in reference to the Salmon & Salmon bank case, is at hand. I take pleasure in briefly explaining the situation in the case.

The estate has been largely reduced to money, except for two cases in litigation in which large amounts of money are involved. Possibly some little time may elapse before this litigation can be ended, but it is possible that both cases may be settled by compromise. I would go farther toward making a settlement of the cases than I otherwise would because of the fact that I would like to dispose of the case, pay out whatever amounts can be paid in dividends, and thus make full accounting to the depositors of the bank. Practically everything has been done which can be done by the officers of the court toward ending the case. The delays now are caused by other courts.

If the money now on hand were paid out in dividends, or so much of it paid out as would be practicable in the present unsettled condition of the case, the dividend would be so small a per cent that I estimate that more than one hundred of the depositors would receive less than one dollar each. I do not want to put the estate to the expense of paying more than one dividend when one would have to be such a small amount as a dividend declared at present would have to be.

You can rest assured that all funds belonging to this estate are in safe hands, and that all of the officers of the court, including myself, will welcome an opportunity to pay the funds over to the depositors at the earliest minute when such a course is reasonable and practicable. We will be glad to get the money out of our hands and the responsibility off of our shoulders.

Should you desire at any future time to learn of the condition of this or any other case in which you may be interested, do not hesitate to write me. The records of my office are open to any person interested, and I will be only too glad at any time to give the fullest information in my possession to you, and throw the sources of information open to you. Yours very truly—Thos. T. Crittenden, Referee in Bankruptcy.

TONGUE WAS SLIT

And Other Terrible Tortures Inflicted on the Faithful Coachman.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 17.—Because he would not deliver to two burglars the keys of his employer's house, Frank Smith, 45 years old, a coachman in the employ of John Lehman, a wholesale meat dealer, was tortured and left for dead by his assailants.

Smith's tongue was slit with a knife and the soles of his feet were slashed in a score of places until he became unconscious. The men then threw Smith downstairs, where he was found. One arrest was made. Smith is in a critical condition.

Meeting Was Called Off.

The regular meeting of Sedalia council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, was called off last night, owing to the lodge hall being utilized by other parties.

Lawn Social Tonight.

The ladies of Sacred Heart church will give a lawn social at the home of Mrs. M. W. Cadle, on West Third street, tonight.

May Exhibit at the Fair.

Lester Burchfield, a former Sedalian, but now traveling for the Columbia Phonograph Co. out of Kansas City, and wife, who have been spending their vacation in the Ozarks, came in Tuesday night and remained over until this afternoon as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Laupheimer.

While here Mr. Burchfield had a conference with Col. J. R. Rippey, secretary of the Missouri State Fair, with a view to his company making an exhibit at the fair.

Now Located at Paducah.

Tate Hodges, who has been operating a linotype on The Citizen at Cairo, Ill., for the past three years, has resigned and moved to Paducah, Ky., where he has a position as operator on one of three machines in the News-Democrat office.

KILLED BY AN OFFICER

UNKNOWN MAN RUNS AMUCK IN HOLDEN AND MEETS SUD DEN DEATH.

HE TRIED TO CLEAN UP THE TOWN

Depopulated Railway Station and Started in on Business Houses. When Night Watchman Shot Him Through Heart.

Special to Democrat-Sentinel

Holden, Mo., July 17.—Last night, when Missouri Pacific train No. 5 arrived here a man, evidently a foreigner, alighted, and as soon as the train pulled out proceeded to create a disturbance in the station. The man was evidently drunk or demented, as he ran everyone out of the building under threats of death, emphasizing his threats by flourishing a revolver.

After having succeeded in driving everyone from the station he proceeded to clean out all the business houses and was in a fair way to success, when "Dad" Riley, the night watchman, was called, who endeavored to place him under arrest. The stranger resisted and started to shoot the officer, when the latter pulled his gun and shot him through the heart, death resulting instantly.

No one here knows who the dead man was. He was dark complexioned, with black hair, of medium height, and was neatly dressed.

From his broken talk used when he was threatening the people it is gathered that he was a foreigner.

Prosecuting Attorney Cockrell, of Warrensburg, arrived this morning, but Mr. Riley has not been arrested, and it is thought he will not be, as the killing was purely one of self defense and in the line of official duty.

NOT MUCH INTEREST

Haywood Trial Today Brought Out Very Little of Importance.

Boise, July 17.—At the opening of court this morning Attorney Richardson notified the state that they desired three of the state's witnesses to remain in town.

Judge Wood announced that prior to the opening of the argument he would notify counsel as to the main points in the evidence on which he would instruct the jury. Attorney Attorney Darrow, for the defense, announced that the sub-rebuttal for the defense would be short.

O. N. Sackett, one of the officials of the Smuggler-Union mine at Telluride, Col., gave an interesting account of the conditions in Telluride from 1901 to 1904, and leading up to the declaration of martial law.

An interesting piece of documentary evidence was introduced by the state in the shape of a written agreement entered into in 1901 between Edward Collins of the Smuggler-Union mine, and Vincent St. John, president of the local union of the Western Federation of Miners. Under this agreement St. John agreed to stop the attacks on the Smuggler-Union mine.

Will Attend Prayer Meeting.

Rev. Frank S. Ford, of San Francisco, Cal., will attend the prayer meeting at the First Christian church tonight.

ELKS ELECTED OFFICERS

ELECTION AND CLAMBAKE ARE THE FEATURES OF THE CLOSING DAY.

NEXT YEAR MEET IN DALLAS, TEX.

John K. Tener, of Pennsylvania. Was Chosen Grand Exalted Ruler—Facts About the Big Clambake.

Philadelphia, July 17.—Aside from the meeting of the Elks' grand lodge, the most interesting feature of Tuesday's events was the big clam bake at Washington park, on the Delaware river.

Every visiting Elk with an official badge was not only invited, but coerced into accepting the food, and their money was no good from the time they boarded boats for the park until they returned.

The following facts about the big clam bake will convey some idea of the character of this big feature of the day's entertainment:

Cost, \$15,000; forty cooks, thirty laborers, 400 waiters, 20,000 persons fed, twelve miles of lumber in tables, twenty-nine car loads of food, twenty-two car loads of seaweed to cover clams, 150,000 clams, five tons of blue fish, 40,000 ears of corn, 1,000 tons of cobbles to bake clams, 7,000 loaves of bread, 1,500 pounds of butter, 150,000 glasses of beer.

The election of these officers was officially announced last night: Grand exalted ruler, John K. Tener, Charleroi, Pa.

Grand secretary, Frederick Robinson, Dubuque, Ia.

Grand lecturing knight, Bayard Gray, Frankfort, Ind.

Grand loyal knight, W. T. Leckie, Dowagiac, Mich.

Grand trustees, Chas. C. Schmidt, Wheeling, W. Va.; John Kohler, Kenosha, Wis.; Alfred T. Holly, of New Jersey.

The following were named as members of the grand forum, just constituted:

Charles E. O. Pickett, Waterloo, Ia., for a term of ten years; Marc Rehner, Detroit, two years; William H. Moore, Seattle, three years; Thomas J. Cogan, Cincinnati, four years; Robert W. Brown, Louisville, five years.

The unofficial result for grand treasurer gives the election to John W. Wagner, of Kansas City, over Edward W. Leach of New York City. The official statement says the contest is close, with Wagner probably the winner. More than 1,700 votes were polled, the largest ever recorded in an Elks' grand lodge session.

Dallas, Texas, gets the 1908 convention.

HIS CROPS ARE FINE

Those of J. O. De Haven, Five Miles West of Sedalia.

J. O. De Haven, who farms five miles west of Sedalia, has a most promising prospect for a beautiful crop of all kinds.

Last week he threshed his wheat crop of forty acres and had 762 bushels of No. 2 wheat, which tested 6½ pounds and for which he received 78 cents per bushel. He had it threshed and delivered to market before the rain set in.

Mr. De Haven has 160 acres of most promising corn. Forty acres is already tasseled out and is silking, while the balance of 120 acres is too large to plow and has been laid by. He has also fifteen acres of pop corn, waist high, which promises a large and profitable yield.

Associated With Lewd Women.

A prominent resident of a county adjoining Pettis county was arrested by the constabulary last night, charged with associating with prostitutes. He pleaded guilty to the charge when arraigned in Judge Rickman's court today and was fined \$1 and costs, a total of \$10.50, which he paid.

Picnic Indefinitely Postponed.

The annual picnic of the German Evangelical church, to have been given at Thatcher's ford today, was postponed indefinitely on account of the rain of the past few days.

The Lights Were Displayed.

The suggestion of the Democrat-Sentinel yesterday, that red lights be displayed on two large piles of macadam on West Fourth street, was heeded by the powers that be, and were placed in position last night, so that danger of accidents was averted. It is attention to little matters of this kind that convinces taxpayers that their interests will be looked after by those in authority.

Every Room at Maywood Occupied.

Every room at Maywood hospital is occupied at present. No sooner is an apartment vacated than it is taken by another patient. Maywood is not yet three years old, it having been opened by Dr. E. A. Wood two years ago last February, but its success has been remarkable. Four trained nurses are now employed and a fifth is to be engaged.

MADE LOVE TO HIS PUPIL

IN HER SCHOOL WORK, THEN HE ASSAULTED HER, YOUNG GIRL SAYS.

VERY BITTER AGAINST DEFENDANT

Prof. William Bohannon Bound Over to Court at Bloomington, Ind., and Also Sued for \$25,000.00.

Bloomington, Ind., July 17.—After a rigid examination of over an hour, in which Miss Nettie Northcott charged Prof. William O. Bohannon with her ruin, Mayor Malotte bound him over to the Monroe circuit court for the October term to answer to the charge of assault.

His bond was furnished by his father, who is said to be a wealthy farmer near Evansville.

No sooner had the mayor rendered his decision than papers were filed upon Bohannon, making him a defendant in a \$25,000 damage suit for seduction, the affidavit being filed by the mother of Miss Northcott as her next best friend.

Bohannon did not go on the stand. All efforts to break down the fair witness were without avail.

She was accompanied by her mother, and the trial was held in the mayor's private office, only a small crowd being allowed to be present.

The girl is the daughter of a widow and very pretty. She detailed without hesitation how Bohannon as her teacher had gotten her good will by pretending to assist her in preparing a debate, and from that time kept making love to her, and at the same time saying that he could be of assistance to her in her school work.

Never at any time did he make an improper proposal, and she had no reason to think wrong of him until one night a week ago she went to the Indiana university campus to return a pen, when he proposed a walk and half way home made an assault upon her. Tablets of drugs were submitted as evidence. There is a strong feeling here against the accused.

REARED IN SEDALIA

Young Lady Who Married a Conductor on the Frisco.

The Springfield Leader has the following that will be perused with interest by many Sedalians:

Miss Lena Smith Rupert and Mr. Thomas Livingston were quietly married last night at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Toney Rupert. The bride is a lovable and esteemed young lady.

Mr. Livingston is a popular conductor on the Frisco railroad, and his many friends are congratulating him on winning so charming a young bride.

The bride is a niece of Mrs. P. E. Hurley, of this city, and was reared and educated in Sedalia.

Won a Silk Quilt.

The ladies' auxiliary to the O. R. C. gave a well attended ice cream and cake social at the home of Douglas Hughes, on South Ohio avenue, last night. About \$50 was realized from the affair. During the evening a beautiful silk quilt was raffled. Mrs. A. F. Boughner winning it.

HE SAW DEATH IN VISION

STRANGE PHYSICAL COMMUNION BETWEEN MAN AND FATHER.

HIS DREAM TRUE IN ALL DETAILS

The Rev. Henry Rollings Will Postpone a Trip and Tell of His Experiences While Sleeping Recently.

New York, July 17.—Rev. Henry Rollings, now taking a special course as a medical missionary in the New York Homeopathic Medical college, has had an experience which may result in the postponement of his actual labors after his graduation until he can be induced by the several psychical societies in the large cities to describe the remarkable mental condition into which he fell when he saw, as in a vision, his father at the point of death when the father was 3,000 miles away. The deathbed scene was corroborated two weeks after in every detail in a letter from England.

Dr. Rollings received a theological education in England and was ordained in the Established church. He was appointed curate of St. Andrews parish in Rochester, N. Y., of which the Rev. Algernon S. Crapsey was the rector. Dr. Rollings said:

"My father was Geoffrey Rollings, of Bedfordshire, England, and between us the tie of consanguinity was strong. After a particularly arduous day, I threw myself on a bed exhausted. I fell into a slumber from which I was awakened by a vision. I sat up in bed and saw my father as distinctly as I ever saw him in my life and heard him call out, 'My boy, my boy, I am dying.'"

"Two weeks from that date a letter came from England telling of the death of my father at the exact hour and day when I had seen him and with the additional information that just before he breathed his last he had seen me standing at his bedside."

Further describing his experience, Dr. Rollings said:

"The picture that was presented to me was that of my father lying in bed in a room I did not recognize. I saw all my relatives there except my sister and wondered why she was absent at such a moment. The scene was as sharp and plain as if I had been in the auditorium of a playhouse watching the actors on the stage."

"I saw my father sink back on the pillows and I knew that he was dead. Then my second self, or whatever you see fit to call it, seemed to resolve itself back into my material body and I awakened, arose from the bed and cried out that my father was dead. I was told that I was suffering from nervous prostration and should return to bed. I obeyed and fell asleep for about eight hours. When I got up the vision of my father came to me in my waking hours with greater vividness than when I saw it in my sub-conscious state."

"The letter announcing my father's death told us that the family had removed from the old homestead to another house in Bedfordshire which I never had seen. Subsequent inquiry showed that the room as I saw it in my strange mental condition was precisely as it was in fact. My sister's absence, as I learned at the same time and which made a marked impression upon me, was due to illness."

Dr. Rollings came to the United States with Bishop Sullivan, whose ecclesiastical title was the Colonial Bishop of the Church of England. His first experience was among the Hudson Bay Indians. He had no superstitions and did not believe in hallucinations except those that came from an impaired digestion, so that his subsequent experiences, attested as they were by documentary evidence, are all more startling.

Dr. Rollings' whole life has been devoted to study and he was so ignorant of business forms that he fell and easy victim to Dave Rothschild, to whom he entrusted a sum of money intended originally for the education of his son in college. In addition to what he deposited in the Federal bank he turned over \$700 in cash to the president of the bank without taking any receipt.

After his investments with the Rothschild gang had about impoverished him he went to Rochester.

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ciated on these short time subscrip-
tions, to save the trouble of extra
bookkeeping.

GAME LAW A FARCE.

The plain and truthful statement
of the new game law, given to the
public by Hon. H. R. Walmsley,
which was printed in the Democrat-
Sentinel yesterday evening, certainly
illustrates very plainly that Mis-
souri has taken a step backward
along the lines on which nearly every
other state in the union is progress-
ing.

No doubt there were some im-
provements that could have been
made in the old law, but it would
have been much better to have left
it as it was, even with the imperfec-
tions that existed, rather than to
have really turned the game and fish
even now sadly depleted, over to the
market hunter and fisherman to ex-
terminate as quickly as opportunity
offers.

The so-called safeguards provided
for under the new law amount to but
little, in fact, possess no restraining
power on any but the real sportsman,
who will respect them from an exalt-
ed sense of honor and pride in the
fact that he does.

They will have no effect on the
man who hunts or fishes for gain,
for he cannot fail to recognize the
undisputed fact that detection of law
violation is almost impossible, and
conviction, even if detected, abso-
lutely so.

The legislature, however, reached
the height of incongruity when it
provided for a game warden at an
expense of \$4,000 a year, when there
are no duties for that officer to per-
form.

It would seem, from a careful ex-
amination of this piece of legislation,
that the general assembly was influ-
enced by personal enmity against
the former warden, who had by strict
enforcement of the former law antag-
onized many, or else was consciously
or unconsciously following the bid-
ding of the game dealers' organiza-
tion, which it is well known fought
vigorously against game protection
of any kind.

That they succeeded is much to be
regretted, as it gives the vagabond
slaughterer another two years at
least in which to carry on his work
of brigandage extermination.

Two years hence, if public senti-
ment is aroused as it should be, we
may hope that the acts of the last
session will be rescinded and a statu-
te that will provide real protection
passed.

THE WAR OF WARRIORS.

Apparently grim-visaged war hath
smoothed his wrinkled front, espe-
cially in so far as the immediate pros-
pect of a conflict between this coun-
try and Japan is concerned. And
now, in order to fright the souls of
fearful adversaries and perpetuate
the war spirit in the breasts of our
countrymen, hostilities have broken
out in the navy department between
the bureau of navigation on the one

one hand and the publication known
as the "Navy" on the other. Charges
and counter charges are being hurled
by the combatants in rapid succe-
sion, and the detonations issuing
from the "wooden" turrets belch the
story of the hidden Ananias in the
stormy woodpile.

Unless there is a sudden abatement
of the combat it is feared that the
vocabularies of choice words and
phrases will be exhausted and shot
away, and it will be necessary to call
in the services of the most powerful
element "board of strategy," to de-
termine the merits of the strife and
establish peace and tranquility in
this fighting department. And if it
becomes the duty of the strategists
to settle this controversy in a man-
ner satisfactory to all, then they
might with propriety turn their at-
tention to the foreign admiral's as-
sertion that our naval officers are he-
roes of the function and ball room
only and convince the world that
such fabrications are refuted a thou-
sand times over by the nation's his-
tory. This being done, then our
"brows will be bound with victorious
wreaths, our bruised arms hung up
for ornaments," and all the war scars
chasing up and down this glorious
republic of ours will be in the deep
bosom of the ocean buried.

PROSPERITY STILL REIGNS.

The pessimistic views as to the
agricultural outlook so freely indulg-
ed in a few weeks ago, during the
extension of the cold weather into
spring, have not been substantiated.
On the contrary, the crop conditions
continue to improve steadily, with
the prospect at this time that far
from being a failure, the harvest will
be generally satisfactory, considered
from all points.

For the past month now ideal
growing weather has prevailed and
the gains made by belated grains
and produce of all kinds have been
extraordinary. There have been gen-
eral and fairly frequent rains, while
clear days and a warm sun have
made plants fairly shoot forward.

Corn especially is doing exception-
ally well and promises a large yield.
While the outlook for a bumper crop
of oats has been somewhat dimini-
shed, the rains will improve it materi-
ally and may result in a larger har-
vest than is expected. Throughout
Missouri the wheat crop is ready to
be cut and the yield will average up
well with former years.

If the weather of the past few
weeks continues there is every rea-
son to believe that our agricultural
prosperity will be preserved. So
strongly is this evident at this time
that the commercial recession which
was inaugurated some time ago as a
precaution against possible crop fail-
ures, has ceased, and industrial and
financial operations are going forward
again on the assumption of good mar-
kets, high prices and healthy busi-
ness conditions. All of these favora-
ble symptoms are directly or indi-
rectly the result of a belief in a con-
tinuance of good times among the
farmers. They are based on the as-
sumption that a short strawberry
crop, the loss of some peaches and
cherries and even a decrease in the
wheat crop are not going to militate
disastrously against our vast agricul-
tural interests, which are now thor-
oughly diversified and based on an
elevation. He said that department stores
and weather conditions of whatever
kind.

The tobacco trust made 400 per
cent profit, which makes the Stand-
ard Oil dividends look rather cheap.

If Grover himself can beat that
Adirondacks foothills fish story he's
entitled to the cup.

About one or two more gasps and
the war talk will be talked out.

Instead of being short, most crops
will be long—in coming.

Root Beer.

Take your root beer tickets and
Coca-Cola tickets to the Arlington
fountain.

Back to My First Love

I have come back to Sedalia, the best
town on earth, to remain the balance
of my life, and have engaged in the
laundry business, having bought the
Sedalia Steam Laundry. I will give
the business my entire time and atten-
tion, and keep up the standard of the
work, and if possible, improve upon it.
I will be pleased to see all the present
patrons and all of my friends at my
place of business, 216-18 Lamine St.
FRANK HUGHES.

MONEY TO LOAN

JOE DONKOHUE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
309 OHIO ST.

A GREAT FIGHT TONIGHT

**BOB FITZSIMMONS AND "JACK"
JOHNSON TO MEET IN
PHILADELPHIA.**

WILL BE A BOUT OF SIX ROUNDS

"Old Freckle Face" Is Almost Fifty
Years of Age, But Is Expected
to Render Good Account
of Himself.

Bob Fitzsimmons, who never drew
the color line or dodged a fight with
any man, will go six rounds with the
black warrior, Jack Johnson, in
Philadelphia tonight. The Elks are
holding their annual reunion in the
City of Brotherly Love, and the
Fitz-Johnson match was arranged for
the entertainment of the visitors.

Fitz has been considered down and
cut ever since Jack O'Brien beat
him in San Francisco two years ago,
but the former champion insists he
is capable of holding his own with
any man living, barring Jim Jeffries,
and says he will prove the fact to-
night by whaling the daylight's out of
the black boxer.

Tom O'Rourke and other New York
experts who have seen Fitz train for
his go with Johnson pronounce the
old man a wonder. They say he is as
good as ever, apparently, and will
give a good account of himself
against the black champion.

Johnson is the gigantic Texas
dinge, who has been going around the
world with a chip on his shoulder for
all the big fellows. Tommy Burns,
Jack O'Brien, Bill Squires, Mike
Shreck and all the big guns, with the
exception of Jeffries, have sidestepped
Johnson.

Johnson went to Australia, looking
for a fight with Squires before the
latter sailed for America. Squires
dodged him, and Johnson took on
Peter Felix. Squires won the cham-
pionship of Australia from Felix.
Johnson put Felix out with a punch.
He then went gunning for more game
in the Antipodes, but they had no
fighters down there capable of giving
the Texas smoke a battle, and John-
son returned home.

He stopped off at Frisco and offer-
ed to meet anybody, but Shreck, O'
Brien, Burns and the rest passed him
up. Then he came east and the match
was arranged with Fitz. Six rounds
is a short route, but Fitz is a hard
puncher, and if there is any yellow
in the big coon Bob will punch it out
of him in short order.

"BAD CHICKIE," INDEED

Attacked Tot, Knocking Him Down
and Pecking at His Face.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 17.—A small
game rooster attacked little Albert
Stein, 2 years old, 14 Bright street,
in West Indianapolis, last night, and
in the struggle that followed the
child was badly wounded about the
face and head.

The parents were walking along
the street when Stein heard the child
scream, and, turning around, saw that
it was being attacked by the rooster.

"Bad chickie," screamed the child,
who was lying in the street on his
back, while the rooster was standing
on his body and pecking at his face
and head. Stein drove the rooster
away and then took the child to po-
lice headquarters. The child will re-
cover.

Worshippers Carry Fire.

While seeing many people leaving
the cathedral I entered to look around
the interior of the fine channel. In-
side I saw numbers of men carrying
huge wicker baskets filled with tri-
angular earthenware dishes in each
of which still smoldered some glowing
embers in a bed of white ash. These
they carried into the cloisters and
emptied solemnly into great metal
bins. On reentering the building the
secret stood revealed. Owing to the
extreme cold each member of the con-
gregation hires for a doppelganger, or the
sum of 2d., an earthen dish with a
block of glowing peat under the little
wooden perforated footstools with
which each chair is provided.—Tit-
Bits

Penalty of Vanity.

Two tadpoles lived in a meadow
pool. One tadpole was exceedingly
vain and kicked around until he devel-
oped a pair of pale green legs and
arose to the dignity of a frog. The
other tadpole was sluggish. "Hurry
up!" said the new frog. "Why, you
are the slowest thing in all the mead-
ows. Without legs you will never be
noticed." "And that is just why I am
not raising them," replied the slow
tadpole. "It doesn't always pay to be
noticed." And now the slow tadpole
still swims among the rushes while
his vain brother has long since been
served up on crisp toast.

Watermelons

Catcloupes, green corn,
cauliflower, cucumbers,
tomatoes, lettuce—all the
fresh vegetables.

SWEET, JUICY

Oranges, fine bananas,
lemons. Nice Elberta
peaches, per basket. .35c

KIPPERED HERRING

From the famous Aber-
deen fisheries.
Per can.25c

JELLO ICE CREAM

Powder; a package will
make about 2 quarts of
ice cream. 3 pks.25c

EMPERORS BLEND

Delicious mixed pure tea,
in quarter-pound cans;
fine for iced tea.
Per can.20c

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THE GROCER

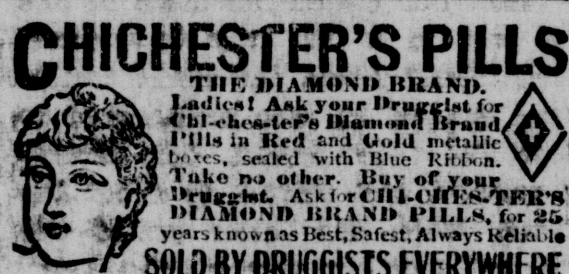
Hon. William J. Bryan.

TOMORROW'S CHAUTAUQUA
ATTRACTION.

Mr. Bryan will lecture on "The Old
World's Ways" at Liberty park to-
morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Pre-
vious to the lecture there will be a
concert by the Sedalia Military band.

Two Old Sayings Done Away.

The French have a saying, "As deaf
as a fish." We have a saying, "As
dumb as an oyster." Both will have
to go. Science has discovered that
fishes are not deaf and oysters are not
dumb. The director of the zoological
laboratory at Naples has perfected an
apparatus with which he has been
able to hear fish and even oysters talk
to their species.



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DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25
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Most people can stand the
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People who are really anx-
ious not to waste their time
still have plenty of time to read
the ads.—more, usually, than
the people to whom this time
is less important.

TIME CARD.
South Bound.

Train	Arrive	Depart
No. 1.	6:25 p. m.	6:50 p. m.
No. 3.	8:50 a. m.	9:10 a. m.
No. 5.	3:17 a. m.	3:22 a. m.
No. 511, local freight, mornings, ex- cept Sunday	7:10 a. m.	

North Bound.

Train	Arrive	Depart
No. 2.	8:25 a. m.	8:50 a. m.
No. 4.	8:05 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
No. 6.	12:35 a. m.	12:40 a. m.
No. 504, local freight, mornings, ex- cept Sunday	6:15 a. m.	

Kansas City Division.
No. 515—Leaves8:35 a. m.
No. 415—Leaves2:00 p. m.
No. 516—Arrives3:55 p. m.
No. 452—Arrives5:00 a. m.

OFFERS BABE FOR SALE

DESERTED AND DYING MOTHER
WANTS TO PAY ALL
THE BILLS.

AND ASSURE OFFSPRING A HOME

Inserts an Advertisement in News-
papers in Pennsylvania, Offering
the Babe for Sale for Sum
of Fifty Dollars.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 17.—Lying on
her death bed, with no earthly pos-
session but a beautiful 4-months-old
baby, Mrs. Oscar Tomanos, of
Monessen, Pa., advertised the child
for sale for \$50, that she might pay
her doctor and medicine bills and a
small bill for food and leave this
world without a creditor.

Three months ago the father de-
serted, leaving wife and child desti-
tute. For several weeks she support-
ed herself and babe by washing, but
succumbed to an incurable disease.

Believing that anybody able and
willing to pay \$50 for the baby would
give it a comfortable home, the wo-
man inserted the following advertise-
ment in the newspapers:

For Sale—A 4-months-old baby;
healthy and easy to manage. Mrs. Os-
car Tomanos, Monessen. Price \$50.

Creditors, realizing the helplessness
of the woman, have agreed to cancel
her indebtedness, but she insists up-
on offering for sale her sole posses-
sion in order that her legitimate
debts may be fairly met.

DANGLING IN MID AIR

The Ohioan, a Suicide, Was Seen by
the Passing Crowds.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 17.—Pede-
strians on Fourteenth street, one of
the busiest thoroughfares in the city,
were startled last evening when they
saw the body of a man dangling from
a telephone pole in an alley less than
twenty-five feet from them.

He had hanged himself with a lea-
ther belt, but was still breathing
when cut down. He died soon after-
ward.

The suicide was Andy Leske, a
Greek, from Cambridge, Ohio. He
had considerable money, was well
dressed and about 25 years of age.

SCIENCE AND FARMING.

The Wisdom of Making Nature Fight
the Insect Foes.

Scientists are now realizing that the
abundance of insect pests which the
farmer of to-day has to battle with is
due largely, if not entirely, to the up-
setting of nature's laws.

Before man placed the woods and
prairies under cultivation, excessive
increase of any insect species was
perhaps unknown, or, at most, very
rare.

Nature has always provided forces
which operate against each other, as
it were, and with insects, as with
other creatures, a balance between the
numbers of different species has been
maintained.

Modern methods of farming have
often decreased the natural enemies
of injurious insects, says Coleman's
Rural World, and in other cases have
afforded conditions favoring the rapid
multiplication of insects not formerly
present in dangerous numbers.

The practical entomologist of to-
day, while not discounting the value
of poisons and sprays as implements
of war against the six-footed host,
recognizes that really satisfactory
control is to be brought about by a
partial or total restoration of the con-
ditions under which nature formerly
prevented the different species from
becoming too numerous. The ento-
mologist accordingly studies parasitic
enemies and diseases which destroy
the injurious insects, and oftentimes
he is enabled to encourage the para-
sites to such an extent that they
largely or entirely control the inju-
rious forms.

The Middle Man.

A New York report says that a
great butter trust has been formed,
backed by a capital of \$30,000,000.
The projectors declare that they are
going to eliminate the middle man in
the selling of butter, and that they
propose to get control of practically
all the butter made in the country.
This butter is all to be reworked to
a single grade. It will probably prove
to be but one mode of the many fruit-
less attempts to get rid of that very
necessary worker, the middleman. Un-
der the present financial arrange-
ments for doing business, the middle-
man is a necessity.

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Is now on. Don't miss it at the

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204 OHIO STREET

DOCTORS CURE COMMON CUR

Animal Shows Gratitude by Licking
Hands of Surgeons.

New York, June 17.—"After the
operation had been performed the
animal showed his appreciation of
our having relieved him of his agony
by licking our hands," remarked Dr.
Leroy Smith last night in Bellevue
hospital in telling the story of how
an operation had been performed on
a dog a few hours before.

Early in the evening a mongrel
dog limped through the gates of the
hospital and lay down on the grass.
Dr. Gregory noticed the animal and
discovered that underneath a claw
on his left foreleg was an ulcer. The
physician carried the animal into the
emergency ward and with Dr. Smith
placed it on a table. The two phy-
sicians saw that the animal was suf-
fering great pain and they called a
nurse and an orderly.

While the others held the dog Dr.

Smith opened the ulcer and then
bandaged the leg. When the work
had been finished the dog did not
jump from the table, but rolled over,
the doctors say, and as they petted
him he licked their hands.

Drs. Smith and Gregory then ap-
pealed to Phil Smith, steward of the
institution, and quarters were made
for the animal in the stable until his
paw is well.

Old Furniture.

It's a good time to retouch your
old furniture with easy working
Chinalac. Makes new out of old. We
have all the shades.

ARLINGTON PHARMACY.

How Machinery Pays for Itself.

It is estimated by the department of
agriculture that last year's crop was
produced and garnered at a saving of
\$685,000,000 over what would have
been the cost of raising an equal crop
50 years ago. This saving was ac-
complished by the use of modern ag-
ricultural implements.—Farm Ma-
chinery.

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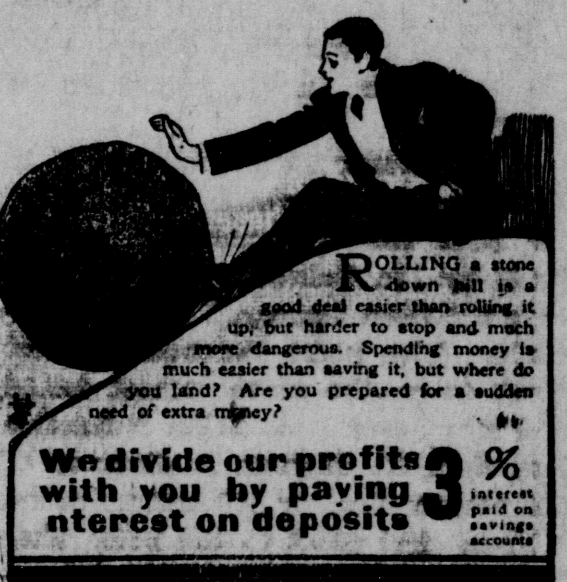
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We Started Monday Morning a Mid-Summer Sale

That Sinks in Utter Insignificance Any Offer We Ever Made

Our Annual Clothing Mid-Summer Reduction Sale is an event that hundreds of men regularly wait for, and they are never disappointed. Indeed, the inducements we offer exceed the highest expectations of the most sanguine. We never do things by halves when we cut--WE CUT DEEP. The clothing we handle is always in great demand. Our sale is a stern reality and necessary measures brought about by the immense quantities we handle each year, and our policy of selling at a loss in order that we may start each new season with a brand new stock. We want to say there is nothing mysterious or even ambiguous about this clothing reduction sale. Truth needs no disguise---facts need no establishment.



Special lot of Suits
that sold for \$12.50,
now **\$9.50**

Special lot of Suits
that sold for \$16.50,
\$17.50 & \$18.50, now **\$13.50**

Special lot of Suits
that sold for \$13.50
& \$15, now **\$11.50**

Special lot of Suits
that sold for \$20.00,
\$22.50 & \$25, now... **\$17.50**

Children's Russian Blouses & Buster Brown's, Ages 3 to 9

About 150 Russians and Buster's, one and two of a kind, ages 3 to 9 years; some of them made of the finest wool fabrics, both domestic and foreign styles, actually sold at \$6.50 and \$7.50 sale price. **\$3.75**

We have a number of beautiful patterns, one and two of a kind; 3 to 8 years; cut in the Eton, Sailors, Busters and Russians, sold at \$3.50 and \$4, sale price. **\$2.50**

One lot of children's suits we sold for \$2.50; well made; very desirable; our price as long as they last. **\$1.00**

Children's Wash Suits A beautiful assortment; all grades and all colors. White piqua and blue chambray in large quantities. We allow you during this sale any wash suit in the house, 20 per cent off.

\$1.00 suits, now **80c** \$1.25 suits, now **\$1.00**
\$1.50 suits, now **\$1.20** \$2.00 suits, now **\$1.60**

\$10 Suits now **\$7.50** \$7.50 Suits now **\$5.50**



Fancy Vests From \$1.50 to \$5

A very fine line of Fancy Vests--about 200 in the lot--all the newest shades; come in single and double breasted--special to close out, 1/4 off.

Boys' Knee Suits

You will make money by buying your boy's suit now. 20 per cent discount on all boys knee pants, 8 to 17 years.

\$5.00 Boys' Suits, sale price **\$4.00**



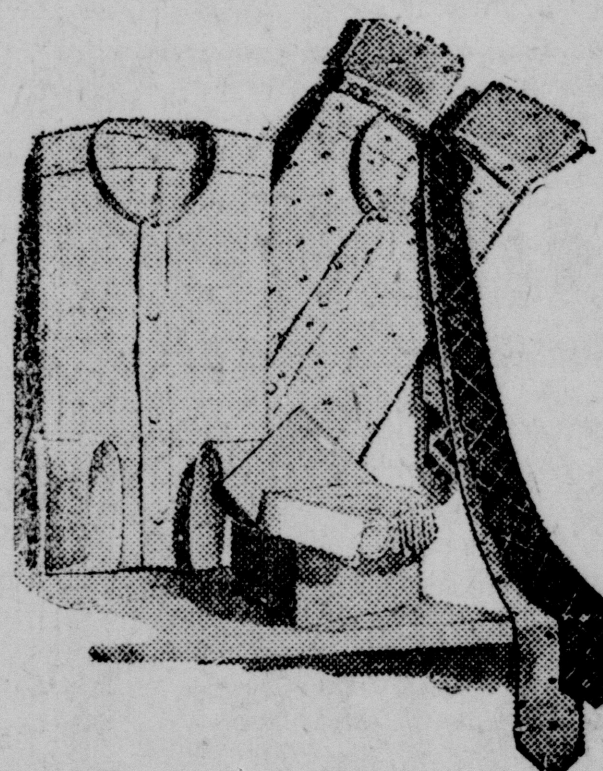
Men's Odd Pants

We have 200 pairs of Odd Pants, odds and ends, assorted, in peg tops, cuff bottoms and regulars--all made of extra good material, well tailored--from \$2 to \$7.50--as long as they last, 20 per cent off.

Great Reduction in Straw Hats

One-half off from the original price. All our straw hats are of this season's styles.

\$1 straw hats reduced to **50c** \$2 straw hats reduced to **\$1.00** \$3 straw hats reduced to **\$1.50**
\$4 straw hats reduced to **\$2.00** \$5 straw hats reduced to **\$2.50**
Panama hats 1/4 off--\$5 hats reduced to **\$3.75**



Men's Stylish Soft Hats

\$2.50 and \$3 Hats for \$1.50

They are all of extra good quality; come in pearls, black, browns and grays. These hats were manufactured to sell for \$2.50 and \$3.00. Our price, as long as they last, **\$1.50**



Some Unusual Shirt Values A Special 85c Selling

A beautiful line of shirts placed on sale at the special price of 85c, just to stimulate our July sale. They are here in platted bosoms plain bosoms, attached cuffs, detached cuffs, light and dark combinations. Their real worth, you will quickly pronounce, is much more than the price we name.

\$1.00 shirt, special sale price **85c**
\$1.50 shirt, special sale price **85c**
\$2.00 shirt, special sale price **85c**

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I. C. Stephens Clo. Co., Macon, Mo.

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Mexico Clo. Co., Mexico, Mo.

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\$14.50

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THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday.

THE LODGES

Masonic Notice.

Sedalia lodge No. 236, A. F. and A. M., will meet in special communication Thursday evening, July 18th, at 8 o'clock for work in the third degree. All Master Masons are cordially invited to attend.

JOHN DEVLIN, W. M.
 E. E. CODDING, Secy.

Modern Woodmen, Attention.

Sedalia camp No. 6570, M. W. A., meets every Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the K. of P. hall, at 114 East Fifth street. Visiting Neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
 S. W. JAMES, Consul.

SALOON LICENSES

Because Minor Bought Beer, Four Resorts Must Close.

St. Louis, July 17.—Because of a violation at one saloon in selling intoxicants to minors, four saloon licenses in which Paul Bacher is interested have been revoked by Excise Commissioner Mulvihill. Bacher owns saloons at 2235 South Second street, 417 South Second street and 507 South Second street, and is interested in a saloon at 2138 Franklin avenue, under the name of Bacher & Swaglie. All four must close by the order of Mr. Mulvihill.

The police charged that Edward Freeman, 16 years old, of 219 Russell

THE JURYMEN PUZZLED

ABSENCE OF "DON" KILLIAN AND HARRY NELSON BIG FACTOR IN VERDICT.

BOTH WERE AT THE SHOOTING

Jurymen Puzzled When State Did Not Produce Either of the Men, According to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The jury that acquitted former Detective George Williams of premeditatedly slaying Lee Killian was so confused by the conflicting testimony offered at the trial that the defendant was given the benefit of the doubt, according to Henry J. Kuehler, a member of that body, says Tuesday's St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Mr. Kuehler, who resides at 2218 North Market street, told a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday that the instruction of Judge Sale to the effect that a person did not have to wait until a weapon was drawn upon him before firing in his own defense, a mere threatening motion being sufficient cause for firing upon a supposed enemy, had great weight in helping the jury to reach its verdict.

Failure of the state to introduce "Don" Killian, the victim of the assault charged against Thomas B. McGrath, which was coincident with the killing, and the same failure to produce Harry Nelson, an eye-witness of the shooting, were other points which Mr. Kuehler said produced effects on the jurymen's minds favorable to Williams.

These things, taken with the doubts cast upon the credibility of certain witnesses left the jury nothing to do, said Mr. Kuehler, but to obey the law, as interpreted to that body but to free Williams so long as they were not fully convinced of his guilt. The jurymen said that the verdict had been reached in a perfectly legitimate and fair spirit, every scintilla of evidence being weighed for what it seemed to be worth.

"For one, I have no objection to stating exactly how we arrived at the verdict," said Kuehler, "but I am bound not to discuss our manner of arriving at conclusions, owing to the agreement that was made not to talk of these deliberations after the completion of the trial."

John W. Mull, foreman of the jury, who is the bookkeeper for the St. Louis Paper Co., told a Post-Dispatch reporter that the decision to avoid talking of the deliberations in the jury room had been made at the very outset of their consideration of the testimony.

"The reason for making this sort of compact," said Mr. Mull "came

from a suggestion that in case a verdict of conviction should be reached or even of acquittal, the minority might be made uncomfortable by some one saying if they had acted otherwise the reverse would have been the case. Some jurymen have been subject to this sort of censure before, and it was unpleasant when they were trying to do their duty as they saw it."

Mr. Mull denied that the jury had ever stood 7 to 5 for conviction, but admitted that there had been a decided division at the beginning of their deliberations. He said that the neglect of the state to produce either Don Killian or Harry Nelson, a missing state witness, had nothing to do with the progression in arriving at the verdict. Beyond stating that the testimony had been confusing to the jury, he refused to discuss the matter.

Alexander Peper, of 923 Cass avenue, another jurymen, said that a great many ballots had been taken, but not as various persons had ventured to guess. He said that most of the time in the jury room was taken up with discussing the positions of the principals in the tragedy as they stood in the saloon and for this reason he said the diagram of the premises had been called for.

SURVIVOR OF A DISASTER

SOME TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO CALLS UP THE SON HE LEFT A BABE.

QUITE A SENSATION IS CAUSED

West Virginia Enoch Arden Restored to His Family, and Husband No. 2 Departs Without Explanation.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 17.—An Enoch Arden story has developed in the little city of Clarington, Ohio, thirty-five miles south of this city.

Twenty-five years ago, July 4, Thomas Keefer was one of a large party of excursionists on board the steamer Scioto, which collided with the steamer John Lomas, near Mingo Junction in the Ohio river north of here.

The disaster resulted in the loss of about 100 lives, and Keefer was listed among the dead. Like many others his body was not recovered.

He was married at the time of the disaster and had a son two years old. Some ten years after the accident Mrs. Keefer was married to Samuel Dixon, a wealthy resident of Clarington, Ohio, where they and the son of Keefer have resided since.

Yesterday morning the original Keefer called up over the long distance telephone at Woodsfield, Ohio, and communicated with his own son at Clarington, who is now 27 years old. It was at first difficult for the father and son to become reconciled to the situation, but when Keefer came over to Clarington in the afternoon he was given a warm reception by his wife and son.

Keefer was also cordially received by Dixon, but strangely enough the latter packed his belongings shortly after the return of Keefer and took the ferry boat for Clarington Station, across the river, where he boarded a train for a destination unknown.

As yet it has not been learned where Keefer kept himself during his long absence, other than that he was working in an oil field, near Woodsfield, when he heard of his son at Clarington.

"CON MEN" GOT \$86,000

From An Ohio Millionaire—Have Been Held for Trial.

Pittsburg, Penn., July 17.—Alderman Stephen J. Toole yesterday afternoon held for court in \$1,000 bail each Frank B. Ranger and F. T. Thompson on a charge of conspiracy to defraud made by Dexter C. Davis, of Marietta, Ohio. W. J. (Jake) Adams, the third defendant in the suit, was discharged.

The case grows out of the sensational sworn statement of Davis, who is a millionaire, to the effect that he was taken to New York by Ranger, where he went into a brace faro game. Before he was through Davis dropped \$86,000. He would have played longer, it is said, had not Ranger taken pity on him and told him it was a put up job.

Adams was not held, as it was proven that he has not spoken to Davis in Pittsburg for seven years. If charges are brought against Adams they will have to be brought in New York. Ranger, who was out on bail, renewed his bond for appearance at court.

and is still in New York. He was represented, however, by John S. Robb, Jr., a famous criminal lawyer. Ranger has a counter suit against Davis and others, charging them with conspiracy to extort and indict.

Encouragement.

It is a great mistake to take a good action performed by some one else as a matter of course. If people would but realize that they are better served when they themselves are kind and considerate the world would be the better.

Never be too careless or too superior to give a word of praise, for a word of encouragement has the effect of a tonic upon drooping spirits and adds a new incentive to the worker.

Of course, injudicious praise is a mistake, but if work is badly done try to find some good point about it or point out the mistakes as kindly as possible.

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\$10.00 Men's Suits now.....	\$8.00
\$12.50 Men's Suits now.....	\$10.00
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\$18.00 Men's Suits now.....	\$14.40
\$20.00 Men's Suits now.....	\$16.00
\$22.50 Men's Suits now.....	\$18.00
\$25.00 Men's Suits now.....	\$20.00
\$27.50 Men's Suits now.....	\$22.50
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Men's Straw Hats

In our straw hat department you will find the largest stock, greatest variety of styles and the lowest prices.

\$1.00 Men's Straw Hats now.....	75c
\$1.50 Men's Straw Hats now.....	\$1.00
\$2.00 Men's Straw Hats now.....	\$1.25
\$2.50 Men's Straw Hats now.....	\$1.50
\$3.00 Men's Straw Hats now.....	\$2.00
\$5.00 genuine Panama now.....	\$3.50

Men, Here Is Your Odd Trousers Chance

If you need an odd pair of trousers you will find here just what you want—worsteds, cassimeres, serges. Turn-ups, in flannels, serges and worsteds.

\$2.50 Men's Trousers now.....	\$2.00
\$3.00 Men's Trousers now.....	\$2.40
\$3.50 Men's Trousers now.....	\$2.80
\$4.00 Men's Trousers now.....	\$3.20
\$5.00 Men's Trousers now.....	\$4.00
\$6.00 Men's Trousers now.....	\$4.80
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Youths', Boys and Children's Suits

We have a better line of youths', boys' and children's suits to select from than ever before. They have the grace, swing and snap and are made with the youthful lines the youth likes and looks best in. We believe there is not a match for the fine collection of youths', boys' and children's suits you will find here, especially so at the low prices quoted below.



Youths' Suits

\$6.50 Youths' Suits now.....	\$5.20
\$7.50 Youths' Suits now.....	\$6.00
\$8.50 Youths' Suits now.....	\$6.80
\$10.00 Youths' Suits now.....	\$8.00
\$12.50 Youths' Suits now.....	\$10.00
\$15.00 Youths' Suits now.....	\$12.00
\$18.00 Youths' Suits now.....	\$14.40
\$20.00 Youths' Suits now.....	\$16.00

Boys' Suits

\$3.00 Boys' Suits now.....	\$2.40
\$3.50 Boys' Suits now.....	\$2.80
\$4.00 Boys' Suits now.....	\$3.20
\$4.50 Boys' Suits now.....	\$3.60
\$5.00 Boys' Suits now.....	\$4.00
\$6.00 Boys' Suits now.....	\$4.80
\$6.50 Boys' Suits now.....	\$5.20
\$7.50 Boys' Suits now.....	\$6.00

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Hon. William Jennings Bryan

Speaks at 3 P. M.

Band Concert and Addresses of Welcome From 2 to 3 o'Clock

GASPED AND EXPIRED

Kneled Beside Her Dying Brother, After a Long Journey.

Jerseyville, Ill., July 17.—As she was kneeling at the deathbed of her brother, Ellis V. Davis, Mrs. Ida Farmer died last night at 11 o'clock. The brother died one hour later. The coroner said the woman's death was due to heart disease.

Mrs. Farmer arrived in Jerseyville from Texhoma, Okla., in response to a telegram advising her of her brother's probably fatal illness. Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Farmer, kneeling by his bedside, were praying, when sud-

denly Mrs. Farmer gasped and fell dead.

It is planned to have a double funeral for the sister and brother. Mrs. Davis is under the doctor's care and the shock completely unnerved her. For many years until last April Mr. Davis was highway commissioner.

East Sedalia Churches, Lodges and Societies.

The Owl drug store at 1105 East Fifth, especially invites your patronage for ice cream, ices or punches in any quantity.

Vudor Porch Shades at J. W. McKenzie's, 114 E. 5th St.

We Want Your Business

Our stock of goods is always new and clean. They merit inspection. Our treatment of customers is always courteous and painstaking. That deserves your consideration. Our prices are always right and consistent with the quality. Now, can't we have your business?

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The Following Prices will Rule During This Sale:

Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$8.50, Clearing Sale price.....	\$6.40
Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$10.00, Clearing Sale Price.....	\$7.75
Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$12.50, Clearing Sale Price.....	\$9.85
Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$13.50 & \$15, Clearing Sale Price.....	\$11.95
Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$16.50, \$18, \$20, Clearing Sale Price.....	\$15.95
Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$22.50 & \$25, Clearing Sale Price.....	\$17.95



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On all Straw Hats!
1-4 off former prices!

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Family Washing
A SPECIALTY

Rough, Dry & Flat Work
35c Doz. Pieces
(Or 5c Lb., if You Prefer)

PHONE FOR OUR WAGON

Monarch Laundry
CHAS. VAN ANTWERP, Prop.

FLIRTED WITH FEMALE

It Was This That Cost William McCarty Sum of \$200.

Alton, Ill., July 17.—William McCarty, who was arrested by Mrs. Sophia Demuth, probation officer, whom he accosted, was fined \$200 by Magistrate Gross.

According to the testimony, McCarty met Mrs. Demuth in front of the Citizens' National bank.

"Good evening," he said, pleasantly, raising his hat.

"Wretch, have you the effrontery to insult an officer of the law? You are under arrest," exclaimed Mrs. Demuth, as she seized McCarty by the ear and led him to the police station.

She is five feet eight inches tall and weighs 175 pounds. She is 45 years old and gray headed. The man arrested is about the same age.

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Gasoline stoves, sewing machines repaired. Bell phone 1733.

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Guaranteed to remove Freckles, Pimples, Liver-Spots, Tan, Sallowness, etc., in 10 to 20 days. 50c and \$1.00 by druggists.

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Quick, Clean, Convenient, Ready,
Accurate,
Absolutely Cheapest of All Fuel

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SEDALIA, MO.

reader at Spring Fork, was trading in Sedalia today.

E. B. Gregg, a Kansas City dry goods salesman, is here today, calling on the trade.

Mrs. Edward Hurley went to Excelsior Springs this morning for a few days' sojourn.

Mrs. J. W. Hoffmaster leaves tomorrow for a visit of several days with relatives at Kansas City.

Mrs. H. O. Moss left this morning for a two weeks' visit with her brother, George Evans, at Joplin.

Mrs. J. R. Baldwin is home from a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. M. P. Bruce, at Franklin Junction.

Joe D. Sandridge, who has been in Colorado several weeks, returned last night, greatly improved in health.

R. B. Parks, representing the Jones Woodenware and Paper company, of St. Louis, is here today calling on the trade.

Miss Mary Jones, of Chicago, who has been visiting the family of J. W. DeVine, went to Lamonte this morning to visit.

Rev. D. M. Clagget and wife went to Pertle Springs this morning to attend the Presbyterian encampment for two weeks.

Miss Emma B. Miller, of Boonville, who has been visiting Miss Emma Vollrath and Miss Sophia Hain, returned home today.

Mrs. M. H. Waters and three children, of St. Louis, arrived here this afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Patrick O'Connell.

Miss Mildred Bixby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bixby, is quite ill at her parents' home, threatened with typhoid fever.

Mrs. C. E. Blair, wife of a Katy conductor, and two sons, returned last night from a week's visit with relatives at Hannibal.

Jay H. Decker, a former prosperous farmer, of east of town, now residing at San Antonio, Texas, arrived here last night to visit.

Mrs. Charles D. Parrish and daughter, of 906 East Fourth street, leave in the morning for a visit at Moberly, Hannibal and St. Louis.

Misses Lillian and Mayme Kemp left this morning for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Guthrie and Oklahoma City, Okla.

J. I. Bondi, of Galesburg, Ill., is in Sedalia on business. Mr. Bondi is at the head of the Bondi Bros. & Co.'s stores in Missouri and Illinois.

Mrs. C. R. Gorrell, accompanied by her daughters, Misses Canna and Willie Dee Gorrell, are home from a two weeks' visit in Colorado.

Miss Grace Lewis, accompanied by the Misses Kuhn, returned this morning from Pilot Grove, where last evening they gave a pleasing entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Otis and babe are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Otis, and leave tonight for their home at Ottumwa, Ia.

R. W. Warren and wife, former Sedalians, now living at Houston, Texas, arrived here last night for a month's visit with their son, Dr. Walter Warren.

Mrs. Henry J. Wilson, wife of the popular Katy employe, has been confined to her home. 800 East Thirtieth street, the past few days on account of illness.

Mrs. W. C. Otts and daughter, Vivian, who have been visiting Mrs. H. V. Hammond, the mother of Mrs. Otts, departed this morning for their home at Shreveport, La.

Walter Williams, editor of the Columbia Herald, is here this afternoon, on his way to Warrensburg, where, tonight, he will speak at the Presbyterian encampment.

Gus Yost and wife leave tomorrow afternoon for a visit in the west. While absent they will visit Salt Lake City, Denver, Colorado Springs and other points of interest.

Mrs. J. W. Robertson returned to her home at Marshall today, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Clagget. She was accompanied by her grandson, Dudley Clagget, Jr.

John L. Buckley, accompanied by his sister, Miss Nellie and their cousins, the Misses Mullin, of Ottumwa, Ia., left last evening for Lamonte to visit relatives for two days.

Dr. W. J. Ferguson, who is attending the grand lodge meeting of Elks in Philadelphia, has the thanks of the Democrat-Sentinel for late papers from the City of Brotherly Love.

Miss Hazel Human, of Sedalia, passed through Boonville this morning, en route to Blackwater, where she will visit her grandparents, J. W. Boles and wife.—Boonville Democrat, 16th.

Mrs. W. E. Merrifield, wife of the Missouri Pacific trainmaster, went to Kansas City this morning, accompanying that far her mother, Mrs. Freese, who is on her way to Enid, Okla., to visit.

Mrs. James Hall, formerly Miss Rose McCormick, whose girlhood days were spent in Sedalia, arrived here this afternoon from her home in St. Louis, and is the guest of Mrs. E. B. Burrows.

Miss Evelyn Denham, a charming young lady of Parsons, Kan., who is the guest of Miss Till Rankin, of East Fifth street, will leave Saturday morning for a brief visit at Columbia,

then at St. Louis, after which she will return home.

Mrs. A. L. Labaw, of Colorado Springs, Col., and Mrs. J. A. Farr, of Sugar City, Col., who have been visiting Sedalia relatives, left this afternoon for their homes. They were accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Truell, of Green Ridge, who will visit there.

John T. Collins, of the Collins Furniture and Carpet company, accompanied by his children, left this afternoon for Chicago and Grand Rapids, Mich., on business. Mr. Collins will go to Grand Rapids alone, leaving his children in Chicago to visit friends.

Charles Oman, the Katy car inspector, is in receipt of news from his wife, who, with her daughter, Miss Gertrude, is sojourning at El Dorado Springs for the benefit of Mrs. Oman's health, to the effect that she is not so well as during the first few weeks of her stay there.

Vueor Porch Shades at A. W. McKenzie's, 114 E. 5th St.

MEET OF RETAIL CLERKS

THIRTEENTH BIENNIAL CONVENTION IN SESSION AT ST. JOSEPH.

EQUAL SALARIES FOR THE SEXES

Wages Not Less Than \$9 a Week, No Saturday Night Work in the Summer and Chairs Behind Counters for Clerks.

St. Joseph, Mo., July 17.—Delegates to the thirteenth biennial convention of the Retail Clerks' association, in session here, intend to start a movement in behalf of their fellow employees.

The clerks demand eight hours a day, not less than \$9 a week salary, equal salaries for both sexes, no Saturday night work in the summer, chairs behind counters for clerks, and that seniority prevail when promotions are made.

The convention was called to order by J. H. Conway, of Chicago, Ill., president of the International association. He said that department stores are a curse to humanity.

Addresses of welcome were made by Mayor W. E. Spratt, who said he once was a counter jumper; Louis Busch, president of union No. 369 of St. Joseph, and George W. Cook, president of Central Labor council. Response was made by President Conway.

STONE FELLED PREACHER

Then Hood Paynter Beat Him Most Brutally in Kentucky.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 17.—In Menifee county, on Hawkins' Branch, Hood Paynter, while drunk, assaulted Rev. George Daugherty, a speaker at a Sunday school convention, and probably fatally injured him.

Paynter struck the minister in the head with a huge stone, and when he fell unconscious beat him brutally. It is said, Paynter was lodged in jail at Frenchburg, and the feeling is high against him. He is a member of a prominent family.

Daugherty, who is 65 years old, is one of the best known men in the mountains. He is suffering from internal injuries and may die. The assault is said to have been unprovoked.

Call 'Phones—Bell 1900, Q. C. 1000—and our wagon will call for junk; correct weight; highest prices.—Colton Junk Co., 201 E. Main street.

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REPAIR SHOP

We desire to announce that we have opened a general repair shop at 113 East 4th Street and are prepared to do all kinds of repair work on bicycles, machines of all kinds, guns, etc.

Cathey & Thatcher
Cathey—removed from 7th & Ohio Sts.

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As Cool
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Flower-Barnett
THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE
219-221-223 Dry Goods Co. OHIO ST.

As Beautiful
As
Japan



Here are facts and figures that will make you stop a moment to think—telling of a few great specials for Thursday, Friday and Saturday selling—that are merely examples of scores you'll find upon investigation. Every item representing the most perfect qualities in America or Europe, and all "Money Backed" if unsatisfactory in any detail. All at prices that mean a positive and substantial saving to every buyer.

Any Tailored Suit 14.98
Formerly Sold Up to \$27.50

This means that you buy them for less than the actual cost of the uncut materials. The cloths used in these suits are worth from \$1.50 to \$3.00 a yard in our own dress goods stock. Figure it out for yourself. This is the greatest reduction this section has ever made and the styles are the best this store or any store in Missouri has ever shown. Fancy light mixtures, also solid blue, grey, etc., decorated with silk bands and appliques in contrasting colors. Pony, Eton, Bolero and Cutaway effects.

Mid-July Clearance of

White Waists

We frankly admit that we've too many white waists for the middle of July, but we could not foresee the delayed hot weather, hence such reductions as these will be in effect Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Former \$1.25 Waists	79c
Former \$1.25 & \$1.50 Waists	98c
Former \$1.50 Waists	1.29
Former \$1.75 Waists	1.39
Former \$2 & \$2.25 Waists	1.75
Former \$2.50, \$2.75 & \$3 Waists	2.25
Former \$3.50 Waists	2.75
Former \$3.98 Waists	2.98
Former \$5 Silk Waists in dots and figures, on white or navy grounds	2.98



Remnants of Table Damask.
1-4 to 1-2 Off
All table lengths, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 yards long. Some are slightly stained. Great chance to save. Anticipate your future wants now.

All Ober Embroidery Sale

At Big Savings

\$1.59 Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 values—the much sought for Mt. Mellick and Eyelet effects, so practical and pretty for waists and vest fronts. Made of finest St. Gall Swiss.

"GO AHEAD," SAID MOTHER

When Girl Threatened Suicide and Leaped into the Water.

Lockport, N. Y., July 17.—Because her mother scolded her Harriet Prosser, 17 years old, of Sulphur Springs, committed suicide by jumping into the Erie canal.

The girl was sitting in front of a saloon adjacent to her home. "This is no place for you to be," reprimanded the mother, taking her by the hand and starting home.

The girl broke away and started toward the canal, saying: "I am going to jump into the canal and drown myself."

Not having the least suspicion that her daughter would carry out the threat Mrs. Prosser said: "Go ahead." A moment later the mother was horror stricken to see her daughter hurl herself into the stream. She never rose to the surface.

FIVE YEARS IN PRISON

Men Confessed for the Sake of a Woman Companion.

Richmond, Va., July 17.—The case against Lewis Rogers and Harry Allen, alias Harry Stein, alleged baggage thieves, who recently made an unsuccessful attempt to escape from the city jail, was called in the Hustings court yesterday.

Harry Glenn, attorney for the men, arose when the charge was read and said they would plead guilty. Judge Witt immediately sentenced them to serve five years each in the penitentiary. The state of Virginia has two more charges against them.

A woman arrested with the men, and who claims to be a former well known Broadway actress, is in a delicate condition of health, which fact is believed to be responsible for the shouldering of the responsibility by

DOPED BY BARKEEPER

Who Deserted Him in Chicago, Accused of Embezzling \$800.

Mansfield, Ohio, July 17.—William Mull, the saloon keeper, who left here June 25 with \$800 secured from Renner & Weber, a brewing company, returned to the city yesterday and was captured by the police at the home of his father, east of the city.

The affidavit against him charges grand larceny, he having made away with money loaned him by the brewery for use in cashing pay checks of workmen. Mull when he went away was accompanied by his bartender, Joshua Kneeland, who is still missing.

Mull claims that he was "doped" by Kneeland and did not realize what he was doing when he went away with the money. Also that when the two reached Chicago Kneeland took the balance of the \$800 and cut loose from him, leaving him with a railroad ticket to Los Angeles. He thinks he was again "doped," as he did not come to his right mind until the train was nearing Denver.

He told a pitiful story about being sick three weeks at Huntington, Ind., and being driven almost insane by worry. The accused man was released on bond and there is a possibility that he will not be prosecuted.

ASKED TO ABDICATE

Korean Premier Has Made This Demand of Emperor.

Seoul, July 17.—The Korean minister has asked the emperor to abdicate because of his action in sending a deputation to the Hague.

He boldly pointed out the necessity for the emperor's abdication in favor of the crown prince.

ceeding to Tokio and apologizing to the emperor of Japan.

The Korean emperor made no definite reply. It is believed the ministers will insist on abdication.

It is not likely the emperor will yield without a struggle. Despite the excitement at the court and the capital, the populace is generally quiet.

Household goods packed, stored and shipped. Large moving vans; good dry storage rooms.—Huston Transfer Co.

Summer DRESS GOODS

Many and varied are the patterns and prices we are showing in this line of goods for summer wear. Almost every conceivable pattern is to be found in this assortment of

Popular Goods Properly Priced.

Satin Mercerie—Much in demand at this time; a very fine piece of goods. Light weight, in a large range of beautiful patterns, in all colors, with a mercedized stripe running lengthwise of the goods; per yd. **15c**

Silk Tissue—Very sheer and clingy; the very thing for summer dresses. We have it in all the pretty patterns and colors at, per yd. **25c**

Embroidered Swisses of white grounds, very light in weight, with handsome embroidered figures of black and white; per yard **20c**

May Manton's Patterns All 10c.

C. E. MESSERLY

Bigger Crowds Than Ever

OUR JULY

Clearing Sale

Is Sedalia's greatest bargain attraction! There was a crowd today waiting for the opening of the doors. Rafts of goods are being cleared out regardless of cost. This tremendous event totally eclipses any bargain event ever held in this city. We're offering such astounding bargains you can hardly believe your own eyes.

The sale has but one purpose, and that is to effect a complete and immediate clearing of all summer goods. Come and get the greatest bargains of your life. ✻ ✻

Chasnoffs

110 W. SECOND ST.

Among Thousands of Other Bargains We Offer:

Ladies' \$1.50 neat lawn shirtwaist suits.....	69c	Ladies' \$1.25 white skirts.....	59c
Ladies' \$3 suits for.....	\$1.39	\$3.50 white poplin skirts.....	\$1.48
The Beautiful \$5 shirtwaist suits.....	\$2.87	\$4.50 white skirts.....	\$2.39
\$7.50 linen suits for.....	\$4.65	\$5 mohair skirts.....	\$3.65
Ladies' 81-3c black hose.....	3/4c	American Beauty corsets that sell	
Ladies' 35c lisle hose.....	17 1/2c	at \$1.25.....	87c
Val lace and insertion.....	1c	Good 6c towels.....	3 1/2c
5c embroidery.....	3 1/2c	60c fine damask.....	44c
\$1.25 white India linen trimmed		65c bleached sheets.....	46c
waists.....	79c	Ladies' untrimmed hats.....	67c
\$5 Jap silk waists.....	\$2.69	\$3 trimmed hats.....	\$1.33
39c lawn waists.....	17c	Charming \$7 trimmed hats.....	\$2.95
BARGAINS FOR MEN.			
Men's 50c straw hats.....	25c	28-inch Puritan percale.....	5 1/2c
Men's 75c shirts.....	15c	20c dotted swiss.....	11c
Men's silk ties.....	3c	25c serge suiting.....	14c
Fine gauze silk trimmed under-		Children's parasols.....	10c
wear, worth 50c per garment on		Pearl buttons, dozen.....	1 1/2c
sale.....	32 1/2c	7 1/2c bleached gauze vests.....	3 1/2c
\$1.50 sample shirts.....	55c	50c silk belts.....	11c
		Gingham petticoats.....	38c

Store Open This Evening

REGARDING RAILROADS

THE COMMISSION HOLDS RAILROADS CANNOT DIVERT COTTON TRAFFIC.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

An important decision prepared by Commissioner Lane was announced by the interstate commerce commission at Washington yesterday. It involves the right of a railroad to divert traffic from one cotton compress to another, which, the commission holds, the carrier does not possess. The case was that of the Muskogee Commercial club and the Muskogee Traffic bureau against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad. It appeared that the defendant carried cotton to South McAlester to be compressed, though it might more easily have been compressed at Muskogee.

The commission holds that the defendant's rule for compression of cotton in transit "results in undue prejudice against Muskogee, and that defendant should grant all privileges to one compression point that it grants to another."

The commission also holds that the fact that the compress company at South McAlester has another compress at Fort Smith and threatens, unless the foregoing preference is given to its compress at South McAlester, to divert its cotton traffic to another road, does not justify discrimination in the rules of practice of defendant.

Heading Off Car Shortage.

It is stated that the Missouri Pacific is making special effort to avoid a possible car shortage in handling the wheat crop in Kansas this year by distributing 2,000 cars throughout its line in the wheat belt of the state. These are all new cars.

From four to twenty cars are being set at each station in the wheat belt and the agents have orders to use them only in the wheat carrying traffic.

Earnings of the M., K. & T.

The following railroad earnings are reported by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas: May, gross earnings, \$2,271,842; increase, \$584,101; operating expenses and taxes, \$1,557,283; increase, \$337,995; net earnings, \$714,559; increase, \$246,106; interest on bonds and rent, \$242,270; increase, \$40,513; surplus, \$290,289; increase, \$205,593.

Had a Finger Cut Off.

M. A. North, employed in the woodmill department at the new Missouri Pacific shops, had the index finger on his right hand badly injured at the shops early yesterday morning, in consequence of which the member was amputated at the second joint.

Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

W. H. Oberlin, trucker, Nevada, Mo.

C. G. Graham, conductor, Denison, Texas.

W. A. Wolfe, concrete laborer, Caddo, I. T.

L. A. Shone, machinists' apprentice, Denison, Texas.

J. C. Lambert, machinists' apprentice, Denison, Texas.

Paul Benninger, bridgeman, Gap, I. T.

J. C. Richardson, brakeman, Parsons, Kan.

R. T. Talbert, blacksmiths' helper, Denison, Texas.

R. T. Hogan, bridgeman, Paola, Kan.

O. F. Herrin, fireknocker, Denison, Texas.

Automatic Couplers.

J. J. Tryling, a Katy lineman, went to Clinton today.

John Evans, special agent for the Katy, went to Nevada today.

T. J. Warren, Katy roadmaster, went south this morning on business.

Resident Engineer R. M. Garrett, of the Katy, went to Boonville today.

J. W. Conner, Katy commercial agent, went to Windsor today on business.

Bert Smith, a Missouri Pacific lineman, went to Warsaw today on business.

C. S. Cummings, a Katy brakeman, who has been laying off, reported for work today.

F. J. Miller, a Missouri Pacific machinists' helper, is off from work, owing to illness.

J. M. Chandler, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, went to Warrensburg on business today.

L. C. Marshall, assistant engineer

for the Missouri Pacific, went to Pleasant Hill today.

William Beasmore, a Missouri Pacific boilermaker, is off from work, with an injured right foot.

Superintendent A. J. Alexander, of the Missouri Pacific, is recuperating his health at Asheville, N. C.

John Isenberg, a Katy brakeman, is laying off, owing to illness, and Walter Murphy has the place.

Division Engineer A. P. Morrison, of the Missouri Pacific, is transacting business on the river route today.

R. E. Francis, assistant engineer for the Missouri Pacific, went to Lee's Summit today on business.

C. S. Taylor, route agent for the American Express company, went to New Franklin today on business.

Ernest Beyeler, local agent for the Van Noy news people, went to Kansas City this morning for a two days' visit.

The Katy's new shops at Parsons were put in operation the first of this week. Nine locomotives are now undergoing repairs.

Missouri Pacific train No. 10, due here at 1:45 a. m., arrived at 3:43 a. m. today, caused by waiting at Kansas City for connections.

W. R. Kemp, a Wabash brakeman from Moberly, went to Kansas City this afternoon, after visiting his cousin, W. J. Kemp, here.

S. K. Bullard, superintendent of telegraph for the Katy, is in Texas on business, and W. H. Hall, assistant superintendent, is at Parsons.

C. F. Ghering, general foreman of the Katy's bridge and building department at Parsons, passed through here today, on his way to Boonville.

Missouri Pacific Brakeman Lewis, running between St. Louis and Kansas City, returned to the Mound City at noon today, after visiting relatives here.

H. E. Maggard, who has been storekeeper for the Missouri Pacific at the new shops, has resigned to enter the company's employ as a locomotive fireman.

Missouri Pacific train No. 2, due here at 1:10 p. m., arrived at 1:30 o'clock today, caused by waiting at Kansas City and Southwest Junction for mail connections.

W. W. Alexander, stenographer for Superintendent A. J. Alexander, of the Missouri Pacific, returned last afternoon from a few days' visit at Little Rock, Ark.

Katy train No. 5 was run in two sections this morning, the first arriving at 3:55 and the second at 4:15 o'clock. The occasion was due to homeseekers, a large crowd taking advantage of the cheap rates.

Vice President C. S. Clarke, of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain, returned to St. Louis headquarters from New York yesterday afternoon. He will be at the general offices today. General Manager Sullivan is in Minnesota.

"RED" DAVIS IS TRADED

Popular Fielder and Cash Bonus for Eli Wooley.

Gerald Davis, or Red, as he is more popularly known among the Topeka fans, has been traded to Leavenworth for Eli Wooley, the little left-handed outfielder, says the Topeka Journal of yesterday.

Two hundred dollars was also given by the local management to help the deal along. Wooley is one of the best outfielders of the Western association and has a strong arm.

This ought to help the local outfield, as there are no especially strong throwers. Davis leaves tomorrow for Leavenworth and Wooley will join the local aggregation tonight in Kansas City on the way to Webb City.

Deals for trading Davis have been on for some time and have occasioned no surprise among the fans who have known for some time that he did not stand in well with Captain Hurlburt. While Davis is a good player, his being traded to Leavenworth will probably tend to promote more harmonious relations among the members of the team.

Gilbert, a pitcher, will probably not report. He was sent transportation at his home in Michigan last Friday morning and has had ample time to

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We wish to win your confidence. Let us tell you who we are. We are the 'largest' dealers in high grade groceries in Sedalia, and our prices are the lowest, quality considered. If you will try us for a month we believe we will be able to show you that it will be to your interest to continue.

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Astonishing low prices on these hot weather necessities just when you want them. See a few of these extraordinary values in our window.

43c For fancy Japanese kimonas and dressing sacques; dainty materials and neatly finished.

59c Pretty sacques of lawns, swisses, etc., in fancy designs; all former 85c & 98c values now at 59c.

85c Kimonas and dressing sacques of sheerest materials, in fancy patterns; have ribbon beading at neck & sleeves; former 1.25 values at 85c.

85c Long kimonas of lawn and swiss; floral & Japanese designs; fancy colored facings; all \$1.25 values now 85c.

\$1.23 Long kimonas in dainty patterns checked, dotted & barred swisses; all \$1.69 & \$1.75 values now \$1.23.

\$1.49 Very finest of materials and daintiest of patterns; fancy and Japanese effects; former \$2.00 values now \$1.49.

50c --Extra Values in Gingham Petticoats-- 50c

A hot weather necessity. Heavy quality gingham, with fancy edge or ruffled flounce, 75c values.

A few suggested values to continue this week. Great reductions in each department, but we mention only a few:

Lace Hose, 2 Pair for 25c

Ladies' fine lisle finish black lace hose; special — 2 pair for 25c.

Suit Case, 98c

Dress suit case, solid leather corners; brass lock & trimmings. Special, 98c; others up to \$5.98.

Child's Knit Waists, 2 for 25c

Children's fine knitted waist; doubly strong; taped buttons that can't come off. This week only.

Silk Waists, \$1.98

Ladies' Jap silk waist; fancy tucked yoke with Val. insertion & medallion; regular \$3.00 value. This week only.

15c White Wash Belts, 8c

Another new lot ladies' wash belts, plain or fancy weaves; the new harness buckles. Special, 8c.

\$1 Muslin Gowns, 73c

Ladies' fine muslin gowns, in slip-over or plain style; embroidery trimmed. This week, 73c.

Wide Taffeta Ribbon, 10c Yard

15c & 20c taffeta ribbon; all colors. Special 10c yard.

Children's Dresses All Greatly Reduced

Children's wash dresses, in plain and fancy ginghams; ages one to 14 years.

49c for all former 79c values.

69c for all former 98c values.

79c for all former \$1.25 values.

98c for all former \$1.50 values

\$1.49
For fine Colored
Silk Umbrellas—
\$2 values.

BONDI
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Extra Special
16-button length
Silk Gloves, black
or white; \$1.75 val-
ues, special this
week—98c

HIS TRIAL BEGINS

Professor Accused of Murdering His Mother-in-Law Faces Court.

Kahlsruhe, Germany, July 16.—The trial of Professor Karl Hau, charged

with the murder of his mother-in-law, Molter, in Baden Baden on the even-

ing of November 6, 1906, began in this city today. Hau at one time

was professor of Roman law in George Washington university, Washington, D. C. Mrs. Hau, his wife, daughter of the murdered woman, committed suicide, leaving a farewell letter in which she said she could no longer bear the sorrow of living apart from her husband.

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CHOSE THE FOOTLIGHTS

Firelight Did Not Appeal to Dayton Actress.

Chicago, Ill., July 17.—Chauncey Depew Miller, the sixteen-year-old bridegroom who disobeyed his father one month ago and eloped to Valparaiso, Ind., with Alice Dorothy Parker, the Dayton, Ohio, actress, 20 years old, has announced that his bride preferred the glamour of the stage to the quiet of home and she had left him.

"It was the footlight versus the firelight, and the firelight was left at the post," young Miller declared.

"She figured the whole family was 'easy money.' It did not come so 'easy.' In fact it was not forthcoming at all. I became what she would term a 'dead one.' That was not her kind and she left."

Albert T. Loewer, Tailor, 112 E. 3rd Stree'.

Honey! Honey!! Honey!!!

Having decided to rest until October 1st, I have some fine white clover honey; will sell for 13 1/2 cents a box if you will come to the cellar and get it, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.—John Reynolds 311 E. Third street.

No More Card Games in Saloons.

County Attorney Harvey D. Dow, who recently issued instructions that all shaking of dice in saloons should cease, has issued like instructions in regard to games of cards. The order is effective at once.

Just Received Another Carload of the Excelsior Springs waters. Delivered by the case or smaller quantities to any part of the city. Peter Pehl, distributor.

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SEDALIA, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 17, 1907—PART TWO

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A SPEED LIMIT ORDERED

ON THE MISSOURI PACIFIC UNTIL THE ROADBED IS BETTERED.

BASED ON REPORT OF THE TRACK

If the Order Is Enforced It Looks as if New Time Card Would Be Necessary on Certain Divisions.

The Missouri board of railroad commissioners met Tuesday at the Equitable building in St. Louis and issued an order upon the Missouri Pacific railway company as follows:

1. That until defects in the physical condition of the main line described in detail in the report of the board are corrected, the speed of trains shall not exceed thirty miles an hour between Jefferson City and Kansas City.

2. Until defects described in the report with reference to the Colorado line between Kansas City and the Kansas state line are remedied the speed of trains on that line shall not exceed twelve miles per hour.

3. Until defects on the line of the river route from Kansas City to Cole Junction are corrected, the speed of trains shall not exceed twenty-five miles an hour.

4. Until defects in the line between Pleasant Hill and Joplin are corrected, the speed of trains shall not exceed twenty-five miles an hour.

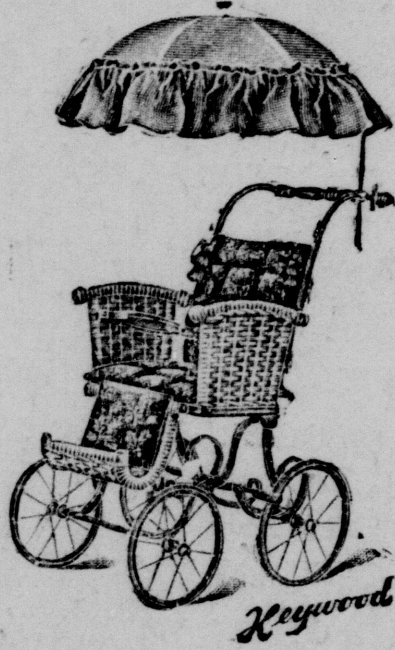
The commission adds: "It is possible that trains might go safely over these divisions at greater speed, but possibility of accidents is too great, and inasmuch as repairs entered upon at once, can be made in comparatively short time, the speed limit need not long remain in effect, but with proper regard for the safety of those who travel this order must be respected until such time as the commission feels the limit may be safely withdrawn."

In view of the badly washed condition of the line at places south of the river route, it is ordered that such track be patrolled until the repairs are made.

The board issued an order against the Missouri Pacific railway company on the complaint of the St. Louis car wheel company, establishing a maximum charge of \$2 per car for switching from the tracks to the car wheel plant, and no car rental is allowed.

The board made a report on the physical condition of the Frisco's tracks, which were found to be in very good condition, except the branch line from Brownwood to Bloomfield, fifteen miles, which was

MID-SUMMER SPECIAL



This folding and reclining Go-Cart is one of the new spring patterns—the sides, back and dash are made of close woven split reed. The body is made of hard maple and has cane seat. The gear is all steel and enameled Brewster green, and wheels are rubber tired and put on patent axles. The back and foot piece can be adjusted to any position desired. Exactly like cut.

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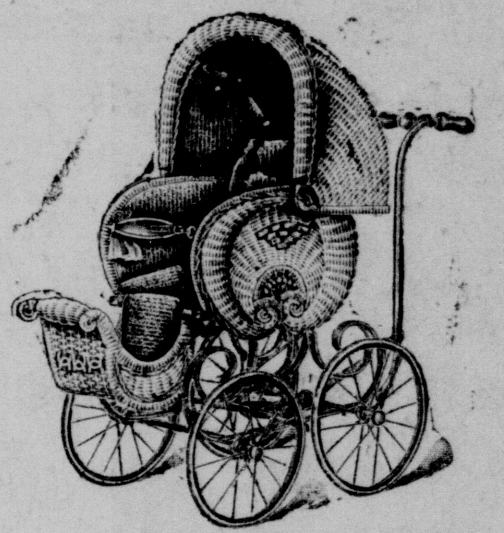
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\$16.90

found to be in bad shape, and the board directed that it be placed in safe condition within sixty days.

The board likewise issued an order on the Frisco management, on the complaint of Carter & Whalen, of Piedmont, Mo., to make a refund for an overcharge on a shipment of lumber.

The Missouri Pacific, having ignored the order of the board to stop all interstate or through trains at Knob Noster, the matter was certified to the attorney general for action.

CRAZED BY BUG IN EAR

Mail Carrier, With Insect, Drives Madly Through Town.

Alto Pass, Ill., July 17.—When Fd L. Hagler, rural mail carrier, was a mile from town a Junebug blew into his ear yesterday. His efforts to dislodge the bug proved futile, and he turned and drove back toward town, the bug meanwhile boring deeper into his head. The pain caused Hagler to become irrational.

His ponies came into town in a wild gallop, with Hagler whipping them at every jump, the lines hanging free, while he held his hands to his head.

As he passed the livery stable Jesse Dufraim captured the team and took Mr. Hagler to a physician, who used a probe to kill the bug.

RISCO'S NEW MAYOR

Dean of Hastings Law College Selected for the Place.

San Francisco, Cal., July 17.—Dr. Edward R. Taylor, a physician and lawyer, dean of the Hastings Law college and of the University of California, was last night, by the board of supervisors, elected mayor of San Francisco, and, by the open-avowal of the bribery graft prosecution the so-called "reign of the big stick" came to an end.

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CONVICT FOR 20 YEARS

DEATH DISCLOSES THAT SENTENCE WAS FOR TWENTY MONTHS ONLY.

COUNTY CLERK MADE THE MISTAKE

The Mother of a Maid in Alabama May Be Reimbursed by the State for the Excess Work of the Daughter.

Montgomery, Ala., July 17.—Rena Rivers, who died a few days ago at one of the state prison mines, had served the state as a convict for nearly twenty years on a sentence that was for only twenty months.

The clerk, when the papers were made out, made a mistake in calling the number years instead of months. She was only about 12 years of age, and was sent up from a poorly settled part of the state, where the courts at that time was crudely administered.

She was arraigned for larceny, and went through the trial and was given a sentence of less than two years. In a few days she was sent away to the mines, and there she remained until her death recalled who she was.

The white man for whom her mother worked became interested in the case, and it occurred to him that the sentence was a long one for so small a crime, so he looked it up. He discovered the mistake, but too late to help the girl.

However, her mother, who is now old and ill and needs help, has had a bill presented to the legislature to have the state pay for the difference in the time the daughter served and the time she should have served.

TOUCHED A LIVE WIRE

William Myers, a Lineman, Died From His Injuries.

William P. Myers, a "trouble" man for the Home Telephone company, went over to the West Side this morning to look for "breaks" in the telephone wires, caused by the electrical storm this week, says Tuesday's Kansas City Times.

At 11:30 o'clock Myers, seated on a board, was pushing his way by means of a lineman's trolley that was suspended from a telephone cable at Central and Simpson avenues.

His progress was suddenly stopped at that point by cables of feed wires for the Kansas City-Leavenworth line, crossing under the telephone cable. Myers undertook to avoid the feed wires by sliding along the telephone cables above. In some way his feet struck the feed wires. He

threw up his hands, his body writhed and twisted a moment. Then he fell to the street, twenty-five feet below.

Fully fifty people passing along Central avenue saw the accident. They ran to him and carried him into Will's drug store at Central and Simpson avenues. Dr. Alexander Hamilton and Dr. H. E. Smith, who were among the witnesses to the accident, began working on him, but their efforts were in vain. There was a red belt burned about his wrist and another on his legs. He died at 1:40 o'clock.

Myers was 25 years old. He lived with his wife at 2414 Olive street.

PREMIUMS FOR SHEEP

They Will Be Awarded at the Missouri State Fair.

Tuesday N. H. Gentry, a member of the State Fair board, and J. R. Rippey, secretary, authorized the offering of a "Missouri special" for Cotswold sheep which were bred in Missouri, or owned in the state at least one year prior to exhibition, at the seventh annual State Fair, October 5 to 11. Following is a list of premiums offered in the "special."

Ram, 2 years old, first premium, \$5; second, \$3; third, ribbon.
Ram, 1 year old, first premium, \$5; second, \$3; third, ribbon.
Ram lamb, first premium, \$3; second, \$2; third, ribbon.
Ewe, 2 years old, first premium, \$5; second, \$3; third, ribbon.
Ewe lamb, first premium, \$3; second, \$2; third, ribbon.
Flocks, first premium, \$10; second, \$5.
Pens, first premium, \$10; second, \$5.

Champion ram, any age, \$8.
Champion ewe, any age, \$5.

First Ozark Peaches Shipped.

Springfield, Mo., July 17.—The first car load of the famous Elberta peaches, grown in the Ozark section, were received here yesterday from St. Elmo, and were consigned to St. Louis commission merchants. The St. Elmo district will, it is estimated, produce 600 car loads this season.

Sour Stomach

"I used Cascarets and feel like a new man. I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia and sour stomach for the last two years. I have been taking medicine and other drugs, but could find no relief only for a short time. I will recommend Cascarets to my friends as the only thing for indigestion and sour stomach and to keep the bowels in good condition. They are very nice to eat."

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

DEATH OF THOMAS BROOKS

Funeral From Sacred Heart Church Thursday Morning.

Thomas B. Brooks died at 2:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home, No. 412 West Fifth street, aged 70 years.

Mr. Brooks was born at Columbia August 6, 1837, and the greater portion of his life was passed in Howard county. He came to Sedalia Dec. 5, 1906, and had lived here since.

He is survived by his widow and the following children: Ira Brooks, of New Franklin, Mo.; Mrs. Susie Quinn, of New Franklin; Mrs. Mary Riley, of Mokane; Sara Brooks, of New Franklin; Charles Brooks and Irene Brooks, of Sedalia.

Mr. Brooks was a member of the A. O. U. W. at Fayette.

The funeral will be held from the Sacred Heart Catholic church at 9 o'clock Thursday morning and the services of the requiem high mass will be conducted by the Rev. S. Neiberg, C. P. S.

BAD WEATHER FEARED

For the Two Weeks' Session of the Local Chautauqua.

Rev. Irl Hicks, the St. Louis weather prophet, has hit it tolerably well so far in his July predictions. If the portion of the month yet to come is anything like Hicks says we had better look a little out. Rev Hicks says:

The fourth storm period will cover the 18th to the 23d, but generally the rainfall will be scattered and light, and phenomenal "water spouts" may be looked for. The culminating stormy days will be on the 20th to the 23d, followed by a change to cooler.

The fifth storm period will be central from the 24th to the 26th, the full moon falling on the 24th.

"Within forty-eight hours of the sunset on the 24th," he says, "many storms and marked seismic disturbances will be heard from in parts of the earth, so that a maximum of such phenomena may be noted. The temperature will fall after these storms."

May Award a Contract.

The commissioners of the Six Mile road district are in session at the Citizens' National bank this afternoon preparing to award the contract for laying a rock road on Ingram avenue from the south limits to Broadway.

Hen's Peck Kills Woman.

Wellsville, Mo., July 17.—Mrs. L. J. Porter, wife of Judge L. J. Porter, of this city, died at her home here yesterday from blood poisoning, which resulted from the peck of a hen on the back of her hand nine weeks ago. She was 70 years old.

Put in Artificial Pupil.

Cleet Bellittine, a coal miner of Bowen, Henry county, had an operation performed on his left eye Tues-

day by Dr. A. J. Tucker, who made an artificial pupil for the optic.

Dr. Tucker also performed an operation on Robert Chasteen, 8 years old, living eleven miles south of Windsor, who had his nose broken Monday evening by the kick of a horse.

QUICK ACTION, THIS WAS

A Negro Who Was Witness to a Shooting Affray.

The quickest action ever noted by Cincinnati newspaper writer was illustrated when he reported a murder case in one of the local cases in which a negro porter on duty in the hotel was a witness of the killing.

The negro was asked how many shots he heard.

"Two shots, suh," he replied.

"How far apart were they?"

"Bout like disaway," he explained, clapping his hands twice, with an interval of about a second between.

"Where were you when the first shot was fired?"

"Shinin' a gentleman's shoes in de basement o' de hotel."

"Where were you when the second shot was fired?"

"I was passin' de Big Fo' depot."

Mrs. Fowler Quite Ill.

O. F. Fowler, chief train dispatcher for the Katy, is expected to return tonight from Walnut, Kas., where he was called by the illness of his mother. Information from there is that Mrs. Fowler is in a critical condition.

Ice Every Day.

Some kind of nice ice or sherbert served every day at the Arlington fountain.

NEWSPAPER LOYALTY

Each Particular Editor Asserts That His Town is "It."

There is really something affecting in the heroic loyalty of the average newspaper to the town in which it is published, says the Atchison, Kas., Champion.

In the course of a week we look over hundreds of Kansas papers, and each one claims that the town in which it lives and moves and has its being is incomparatively superior to any other town on this terrestrial ball. All other town are base imitations and unscrupulous infringements, organized for the purpose of deceiving the public.

Year in and year out the Kansas country editor sings the praises of his town, and towns, like republics and princes, are ungrateful. The "business men" of a village take the efforts of an editor as a matter of course, and think they have done their full duty when they hand him an Old Virginia cheroot and tell him that he is a bully boy with a glass eye.

There is really nothing sadder than the spectacle of a country paper which devotes all its editorial space to the glories of the town, and all its advertising space to plates. Kansas has scores of these heroic weekly papers, and Kansas should be ashamed that they are treated so shabbily.

Two Contracts Abroad.

T. J. Byrne, of the Byrne Construction Co., left today for Pana, Ill., to look after a sewer contract, and thence to Edwardsville, Ill., to look after a street paving contract.

Tell Them You Know!

You may tell your friends, on our "say-so," that when they buy a package of the genuine Arbuckles' Ariosa Coffee they get the best of the coffee trade.

No coffee of equal quality can be sold in this town for the same price, whether it be sold out of a bag or a bin, or under some romantic trade-mark. You may tell them you know and that Arbuckle Brothers, the greatest coffee dealers in the world, will stand for it.

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For Rent

1315 East Broadway, 4 rooms and bath, \$16.
509 North Quincy, 7 rooms, \$12.50.
1203 South Massachusetts, 8 rooms, \$15.
3-room house, \$6.00; 4-room house, \$7.00, and 5-room house at \$8.00 per month.

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These are new cottages in Wilson addition, just south of Missouri Pacific shops.

See them. Man on ground daily.

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With these loans I give you as good options in every respect as give in the country.

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Costs nothing if I don't sell.

CHICAGO NEWS LETTER

BY REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

Chicago, July 17.—"How to suppress the rooster that crows at night" is a problem vexing Corporation Counsel Brundage and his corps of assistants. Up to date, no solution is in sight. If a rooster wakes his neighbors by crowing at unseasonable hours, there seems to be no precedent, ordinance or statute to stop it. Up on Cornelia avenue is a chandelier that voices his feelings without regard to night, and one F. Somerfield demanded relief on behalf of himself, his family and the Cornelia avenue public. Suggestions to Mr. Brundage pour in by mail. "Harness each rooster in the city with martingales," wrote one man. Judge Crowe, of the municipal bench, rendered a formal opinion. "Many excellent citizens in Chicago," he said, "have a high affection for the high pitched note of the chandelier. They love it with an abiding affection, as recalling the days before they owned automobiles and used to be summoned by the wakeful bird to go out and feed the pigs. Such Chicagoans probably would regard it as an infringement on their personal enjoyment if the roosters were enjoined from crowing. Leaving aside the nice legal technicalities involved in a case of such magnitude, I think it may be said to be against public policy to consider such a thing as dimming the chorus of cock-a-doodle-doo."

Unless the marrying magistrates and nimble nuptial clergymen of Milwaukee, St. Joe, Mich., and Hammond, Ind., get injunctions that will stick better than the hasty wedding knots they tie, the captains of lake boats out of Chicago may seriously cut into their marriages. Under a marriage law which has been overlooked, Captain F. A. Dougherty, of one of the South Haven boats, has set a precedent by reading a wedding service in midlake for his pursuer, H. A. Paul, and fiancée, a couple whose acquaintance began on a lake steamer, and, to round out their romance, wanted to be married on one. If this event should set a fashion the lake boats are likely to carry supplies of rice and old shoes, the captains will, each trip across, have a wedding or two to attend to, and the crew will be trained in a daily wedding drill. It is easy to see that the rivalry could become keen between the rival steamer lines as to the most attractive settings for midlake weddings. It will raise a question, however, as to what state a couple is married in, for the lines are a little vague on the water. Each summer there are scores of hasty weddings at the ports where excursionist from this city land.

"The one consolation in the short crop of 1907," said a Chicago shipper, "is the prospect of a less severe congestion of traffic when the grain and cotton crops begin to move." The National Rivers and Harbors congress is actively working here and in every part of the country to meet the emergency situation by securing from congress large enough appropriations for improving the waterways in time to prevent disastrous congestion in future years.

July 20, 1907.—that is the date soon to rattle down the unnumbered ages, not as one made immortal by the capitulation of a nation, not as the one on which a new continent was discovered or the perfect automobile was invented, but as the day when the baseball team of the Chicago city council played the deciding game with the Milwaukee city council's. Last year the Chicago aldermen defeated the Milwaukee team. As one result, the Milwaukee brewers have had to increase their output to retrieve the "famous" city's fame. Alderman Zimmer, chairman of the Chicago committee on arrangements, declares: "We are the only old and real aldermanic champeens and we deny the Philadelphia aldermen's allegations that they are national champeens. We also defy the allegations." Mayor Becker will pitch for the Milwaukee aggregation and, as he used to twirl at college, there may be a painful spectacle on the Chicago ball field, although there are a dozen old-time ball players in the Chicago council, including Badenoch, a one-time professional. It will begin at 3 and probably be over by dark if the scorers can keep up.

It takes a woman to be candid. Right out in class room at the Chicago university Miss Rachel Goldenberg, of Louisiana, spoke her mind of John D. Rockefeller. She is a teacher and her words are likely to be reiterated to a bunch of posterity in a Shreveport school. "I do not think Mr. Rockefeller is a man whom we should hold up before young people as a model. Such procedure would lead them to try to amass great fortune without regard to the moral standards involved. While I

do not know whether at any time when Mr. Rockefeller has made the University of Chicago a gift the price of oil has been raised a cent, yet I do believe that the questionable way in which he got together his money precludes any feeling of gratitude from the university students." During Mr. Rockefeller's brief presence in a Chicago court in response to a cordial invitation from Judge K. M. Landis, he uttered a mild lamentation that so few graduates had become famous, which lament was regarded at the university as less tactful than a gift of a million or two.

The election of Supt. Edwin G. Cooley, of the Chicago schools, to the presidency of the National Educational association by unanimous vote was "an unsolicited testimonial," as patent medicine ads say, for Chicago schools. It also hung a laurel wreath or two on the records of the Farm Bred Boy, the Self Made Man and the Little Red Schoolhouse. Perhaps the initials, "E. G. C." still adorn the school benches at Strawberry Point, Iowa. It must be admitted that it is only in recent years that Chicago schools have been brought up to date and their improvement is a task which makes the superintendency no sinecure, though it pays \$10,000 a year. There is an army of teachers—about 6,000—and there are about 200,000 pupils; the school buildings number about 500 with new ones constantly building. As the pupils speak in their homes some 50 different tongues, their education is as intricate as an adding machine.

Of the total deposits of nearly \$700,000,000 in Chicago banks, the savings institutions now have a total of \$160,000,000, according to the last statements. This is an increase from \$24,500,000, the total in 1896. In Chicago there are now 425,000 bank depositors, which is a commentary on the thrift of the city.

This increase of deposits has resulted in nearly all the savings banks in the creation of bond departments, which have done much in the financing of new traction, power and public utility projects in the west. Many projects which have been neglected because too large for the capital in small cities and too remote from New York to secure even courteous attention there, now have been financed from Chicago's accumulation of treasure. States even as far west as Washington, Oregon and California owe much of their development to this fact. In Iowa the numerous interurban lines are largely a result of the use of Chicago capital. There probably is no state in the great Chicago territory but has some landmark built with deposits of Chicago institutions for which safe investment is found.

There is a curious difference between the way the bulls and the bears of the Chicago board of trade write to customers about the crop prospects. One cries: "The United States crops in 1907 will have a total value of no less than two billion four hundred and fifty million dollars." "There is sure to be a shortage in crops of no less than 560,900,000 bushels," is the mournful retort. The government figures showed that the crops will be short of 1906 estimates, but fortunately the price is high. The total crop is but 4,277,000,000 bushels, but of a market value greater than ever. The average yield of wheat is less than 14 bushels to the acre, of oats about 30 bushels, as shown by the acreage and yields:

	Acreage,	Est. Yield,
	1907.	July, 1907.
Winter wheat...	28,132,000	375,000,000
Spring wheat...	16,464,000	244,000,000

Totals...	44,596,000	619,000,000
Corn...	98,099,000	2,517,000,000
Oats...	31,491,000	943,000,000
Rye...	2,061,000	31,600,000
Barley...	6,151,000	167,000,000

Canadian crop reports this year tell a more cheerful story, although the whole continent had a late spring. A comparison shows a much greater average yield per acre, in Canada, the wheat average in 1906 being about 24 bushels and of oats 41 bushels. This year the averages will be higher. The province of Saskatchewan has issued a report showing a gain in acreage of 377,496 acres, which amounts to 15.09 per cent. The gain in acreage is: Wheat, 13.59 per cent; oats, 19.42 per cent; barley, 13.87 per cent; flax, 13.78 per cent. For the three provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta the official statement shows a total crop acreage of 5,013,544 in wheat, 2,373,030 in oats and 663,833 in barley.

Cynics may smile at the intricate machine of government in a city like Chicago—the commissioners of public works, health, police, food and what not; the building commissioners, in-

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Best for the children—best for pleasure—best for health.

Longwood News

Longwood, July 16.
T. F. Alexander was transacting business in town Saturday.

Roy Taylor, of the Honstonia neighborhood, came down Sunday.

Rev. Watkins preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday. On account of rain there was but a small attendance.

There was a big fish fry at the mouth of Heath's creek Saturday. Quite a number of our citizens attended and report having a good time. About 400 were there, with plenty of fish.

Mrs. C. T. Wallace, wife of the Methodist minister at this place, is visiting her mother in Kansas City.

Orville Crum, of near Lincoln, Benton county, came up to help Kelly & Gabriel run their threshing this season.

Marion Sparks, of Marshall, was weighing up cattle and hogs in this neighborhood Friday and Saturday. Jessie Karkick sold to Marion Sparks his cattle, to be taken in the future at a good price.

E. D. Orear shipped a lot of hogs to St. Louis Monday.

J. R. Marcum went to Hughesville Sunday.

C. C. Orear went to Kansas City Sunday.

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SEDALIA, MO.

this district installed the officers-elect at this place Saturday night.

The rain Sunday morning was a great benefit to the corn and grass.

Henry Patterson was transacting business in town Saturday.

The fourth and last quarterly meeting of the Longwood and High Point charge, M. E. church, South, will be held at Longwood Saturday and Sunday, July 20 and 21. Rev. Warren, of the Lexington district, presiding. A good time is assured everybody.

Do you really enjoy what you eat? Does your food taste good? Do you feel hungry and want more? Or do you have a heavy, dull feeling after meals, sour stomach, belching, gas on the stomach, bad breath, indigestion and dyspepsia? If so, you should take a little Kodol after each meal. Kodol will strengthen and nourish your digestive organs and furnish the natural digestive juices for the stomach. It will make you well. It will make your food do you good. Turn your food into good, rich blood. Kodol digests what you eat. Sold by the Arlington Pharmacy.

Laxative Waters—Sulpho Saline is nature's key to unlock the secret organs of the system. They stimulate the flow of gastric juice, increase the activity of the liver, the secretions of bile and cure biliousness, dyspepsia, furred tongue, headache, constipation, jaundice, gall stones, gouty conditions and all diseases of the skin. Many complaints peculiar to women are cured by the free use of this water. Peter Pehl, distributor.

Money—Money—Money

If you wish to borrow money on real estate or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man, 310 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

Refresh at the Owl.

The Owl drug store in East Sedalia has an excellent soda fountain and serves many dainty dishes of ice cream and ices, as well as all the popular soda fountain drinks.

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Burial of James Russell.

The remains of James Russell, who died Monday night, were shipped to Lamonte this morning, accompanied by deceased's relatives and friends. Funeral services were held there by Rev. Fuller at 8 o'clock and interment was made in the Lamonte cemetery.

Commercial Photographer.

We have the best equipment in Central Missouri for taking views of buildings (exterior and interior), landscape, live stock, etc. Flash light work a specialty. See us when in need of printing and engraving.—Thomas Printing Co.

Had a Good Attendance.

Miss Veronica Sullivan gave a delightful musicale at the hall over the Democrat-Sentinel office last night. A large crowd attended and the program as printed in yesterday's paper was carried out.

Great Bargains to Quick Buyers.

Reliable family horse and surrey, \$80; parlor organ, \$12; stereopticon and moving picture outfit at one-fourth cost; twenty-five Spanish language records at half price; office desk and household furniture. One-story six room cottage with bath room and two fine lots, corner Sixteenth and Osage. Call on Van B. Wisker, 1520 Osage.

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SPREE PROVED FATAL

A Pole Wounded Two Persons and Then Suicided.

St. Louis, Mo., June 17.—After shooting and probably fatally wounding Joseph Pilkerton, aged 28 years, and seriously wounding Michael LePere, 26, both coal miners, on the St. Louis rock road, five miles west of the city yesterday evening at 6:20 o'clock, Marda Brokazinitch fled from a crowd into dense woods half a mile south of the scene and killed himself by firing a bullet into his heart.

The double shooting and suicide

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If His Plan Succeeds, Highball Alley Will Become Police Entrance, Says Excise Commissioner Thos. Mulvihill.

St. Louis, Mo., July 17.—The clubs in St. Louis, from the humblest to the most exclusive, will have to hang up signs announcing the end of their existence, if Excise Commissioner Mulvihill is able to enforce his latest decision.

He said yesterday that no club dispensing liquors has a legal right to exist, except under the same restrictions and by the same license as saloons, and declared that he intended to enforce the laws against every club in the city.

His opinion is based on a decision of the Illinois supreme court, which ruled that a club is nothing more nor less than a dramshop, organized and conducted for the same purpose and subject to the same regulations.

Although the ink with which the decision was written is hardly dry, Mr. Mulvihill has a copy, and says he will take immediate action to have it repeated by the supreme court of Missouri.

"The Illinois supreme court decision is an expression of my own ideas exactly," said Mr. Mulvihill. "and I believe every good lawyer in St. Louis, who has given any attention to the dramshop laws of Missouri, interprets the rights of the clubs in the same way."

"The clubs claim to have been organized for social purposes, but social or not, the real purpose is to sell intoxicating liquor, but we will see if they continue to do so."

NEGRO CUTS PRIEST'S EYE

Monroe Pastor Injured Trying to Quell Disturbance.

Monroe City, Mo., July 17.—The Rev. Fr. Thomas Muller was struck in the face with a whisky flask by Doug Willis, a negro, near the Holy Rosary church here, Monday night.

Willis, with five other negro men, and two negro women, was making a disturbance near the church when the Rev. Fr. Muller went out to quiet them. The pastor sustained a severe cut under his left eye.

False Signal.

"You don't believe in romance, eh?" said the old boarder. "You bet your tinfoy I don't," sighed the young man with the bandage around his head. "I had my share." "How was that?" "Well, you see I was forbidden to call on my best girl and every night she would sit out on the balcony and at a certain hour strike a match. That would be the signal for me to stick my head through the vines and kiss her." "Ah, very poetic." "Yes, but the other night I saw the match flare up, stuck my head through the vines and got the worst thrashing I ever received. You see, the old man happened to be out there lighting his pipe."

Apples Preserved in Ice.

J. C. Braunbeck, of Wallis Run, Lycoming county, Pennsylvania, adopted a unique method of preserving his apples last fall. He built a bin in the orchard seven feet wide, 14 feet long and three feet high. In the bottom of this he put straw, then filled it with apples, putting straw on the sides and ends. Then he placed straw and corn stalks on top. He dug a ditch around it to keep the water from standing there. Some water, however, found its way through the top and formed ice about each of the apples, but they were not disturbed until the ice had all melted. The apples were sound, crisp and without a wrinkle.

A Substitute.

Being very close-fisted Mason had never allowed himself the costly habit of smoking. He always felt himself a miser when anyone treated to cigars. But on one occasion, when the party he was with entered a stationery and cigar store, he made up his mind to have his share of the treat. "Won't you smoke this time?" asked the leader. "No, thank you," replied Mason; "but if you don't mind, I believe I'll take a pencil."—Harper's Weekly.

It's the Brogue.

"Why do we call a handcuff a bracelet?" asked the commissioner of an Irish recruit at a recent police examination. "Faith, because it is intended for arrest," replied the applicant. And he got the position at once.

Look!

I want all old meters either to buy or repair.—Carl P. Werner.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE

For Sale—Household goods. 215 W. Tenth.

For Sale, Cheap—A good go-cart at 312 East Thirteenth street.

For Sale—Kelk-made surrey in good condition.—Otis W. Smith, 503 S. Engineer street.

For Sale—Five room house and two lots; \$350 handles it. Address W. J. N., care Democrat-Sentinel.

For Sale—A good cook stove and a two-burner gasoline stove, 1014 S. Osage street.

For Sale—One 3-year-old cow and calf; price reasonable.—Dr. S. G. Crawford, 621 East Fourteenth.

For Sale—A number of well secured real estate loans; also school bonds.—Bente & Wilson, 210 Ohio street. Phone 91.

FOR RENT

For Rent—Rooms. Apply 112 East Seventh street.

For Rent—For three months, two furnished rooms, 209 East Broadway.

Piano for Rent—Best make; rent reasonable. Address W., care this office.

For Rent—Six room cottage, modern, 420 West Sixth street. Inquire 422 West Sixth street.

For Rent—My three room house, 515 S. Engineer street; good cellar; in good repair; good water. Inquire Nicholson & White.

HORRORS OF DARK AGES.

Visions Conjured Up in Torture Room of Ancient Tyrant.

The horror of horrors in all Italy is found at Padua, known as the torture rooms of that demonic monster of cruelty, Ecelino, a thirteenth century ruler of Verona, Padua, Vicenza and Brescia. His cruelties finally became so intolerable that the church proclaimed a crusade against him. The peasant rose and a farmer killed the brute with a scythe. I was shown an upright box in which was the skeleton of a victim. Two apertures enabled the condemned to see a table, just out of reach, crowded with food and drink. To-day, it is stage food and the wine is colored water, but the realism is intense. The climax of shudders was reached when I came to a block in the center of a small square room. Nailed to the chopping block, severed midway between the wrist and elbow, lay the dainty hand of a woman, just as it had been chopped from the living arm! The instant my eyes saw this sight the cell seemed to resound with the shrieks of the terrified woman, and, although the hand I gazed upon was of wax, the mental shock produced was dreadful beyond conception. —Brooklyn Eagle.

TODD'S LIGHT TRANSFER at Candy Palace. Bell phone 218.

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Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Sample free. By mail, 50c.—Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, Ohio. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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Wanted—An invalid chair. Address "L," this office.

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Wanted—A good dining room girl, in a private boarding house. 117 E. Seventh.

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Wanted—To rent farm of about 80 to 120 acres; must be within six miles of city. Address T. E., care Democrat-Sentinel.

Wanted—Good lady cook for first-class boarding house at St. Louis. Transportation free. Apply 513 West Third street, this city.

Wanted—Men to learn barber trade; will equip shop for you or furnish positions; few weeks complete; constant practice; careful instructions; tools given; Saturday wages; diplomas granted. Write for catalogue.—Moler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo.

Lost

Lost—Bay mare, about 15½ hands high and 8 years old. Notify J. T. Whitson, Twentieth and Prospect.

TALKED TO STUDENTS

Dr. W. B. Palmore Speaks at Summer School at Warrensburg.

Warrensburg, Mo., July 17.—Dr. W. B. Palmore, editor of the St. Louis Christian Advocate, addressed the 800 student teachers, who are attending the summer school of the state normal, yesterday in the auditorium.

He departed on the afternoon train for Oklahoma, where he will deliver a number of lectures in the interest of prohibition.

One Step at a Time.

It is wonderful how much practical wisdom about the smallest perplexities of daily life comes to men who keep both their feet and their wishes still until Providence—the world prefers to call it "circumstances"—clears a path for them. No doubt in all our lives there come times when we seem to have been brought into a blind alley, and cannot see where we are to get out; but it is very rare indeed that we do not see one step in advance the duty which lies next us. And be sure of this, that if we are content to see but one step at a time, and take it, we shall find our way made plain.—Rev. Alexander MacLaren.

In a French Restaurant.

There is a certain restaurant in town of quite ambitious pretensions, but not always successful realizations. In fact, it may be described as French on a Hibernian footing. Two people who dined there the other evening were finishing their dessert when the waiter approached. With napkin in one hand and tray poised on the other, he inquired in his best Gaelic accents:

"And will yez both have dimmy-tassys?"

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THE TOO FRANK PERSON.

Some Plain Truths as Set Forth by a Woman Writer.

We all know—and respect—and avoid—such persons; the world is full of them—too full for the general comfort of its other inhabitants. And frequently what they call the truth is not abstract at all, but is merely the expression of their own particular (and frequently erroneous) opinions. Yet as they utter it they glow with spiritual pride and feel themselves in the same boat as the Christians of the Catacombs and the rest of the noble army of martyrs; never realizing that their cause is no tenet of an inspired creed, but merely an embodiment of their own pet prejudices; and their sacrifices on its behalf is neither their own life nor wealth, but merely the feelings and the sentiments of other people, says Woman's Life. Such persons are very fond of remarking that they owe it to themselves to say exactly what they think; it never seems to occur to them that they likewise owe it to others to conceal what they think, if such thoughts be inimical to the general pleasantness and well being of society at large; yet surely they have never been taught that their duty to themselves comes before their duty to their neighbors.

ASTONISHED CHILD OF SLUMS.

Pathos in Little Girl's Exclamation of Wonder.

It was a case of the meeting of extremes. A beautifully appointed baby carriage, enameled in white and with all its fittings and coverlets of snowy spotlessness, was being trundled along an uptown street, says the New York Times. In it lay a pink-and-white baby, nestling amid frills of lawn and lace. Approaching from the other direction was a group of little Italian children, evidently on their way home from school. Dressed in heavy-looking clothes of every possible color, the only uniformity presented was the general hue of dirt, which seemed to be common to the clothing, as well as the hands and faces, of all. Certainly the contrast between the baby in the carriage and the children on the street—many of them scarcely more than babies themselves—could not have been more marked. Something of this seemed to impress the children. Pausing for a moment, they gazed at the carriage with admiring eyes, while one little girl, braver than the rest, peering under the hood to get a better look at the occupant, exclaimed: "My! What a whiteness!"

Elephant vs. Crocodile.

An African hunter once found a large crocodile hanging in the fork of a tree about ten feet from the ground. As the place was fully half a mile from any water, it was difficult to account for the crocodile's strange position. When questioned upon the subject the natives explained that it was put there by an elephant. It seems that when the elephants wade into the Lake Ngami to bathe the crocodiles are in the habit of worrying them and biting their legs. Sometimes when an elephant is annoyed beyond endurance it picks its tormentor up and puts it among the branches of a tree and leaves it there. —Tit-Bits.

Why Caged Birds Die.

"So the canary's dead, eh?" said a dealer. "It was a fine bird, too—well worth the \$40 you paid me for it. But I don't wonder it died. You would keep it hanging near the ceiling. That is why so many birds die. They shouldn't be kept up high at all. Their cages should be on tables, not hooks. Up near the ceiling the air of a room is very bad, especially at night. Indeed, at night, if you burn oil or gas, the air is insupportable up there. And particularly in rooms where smoking goes on—you know how smoke, like all other impurities, mounts—it is bad to hang birds high. Why can't the world remember the old catch: "Birds hung high ever die!"

Good Location for a Doctor.

Two young physicians were exchanging news for the first time since their graduation from the medical school. "I was surprised when I heard you'd settled at Beech Hill," said one to the other, laughing. "I've always heard it spoken of as such a healthy suburb. I wondered if you'd find any patients there." "My dear man," said his classmate, earnestly, "it is a healthy suburb, but it is also the stronghold of football; every family has its automobile, and there never was such a place before for giving children's parties. I'm doing splendidly, thank you."—Youth's Companion.

Love and the Man.

Men are delighted to be told that they are never absent from the thoughts of their sweethearts, but the husband finds this consciousness a trifle wearing. As bad as the clinging vine is the woman who makes her devotion too incessant. She is never tactful, never conscious that he wants to be alone occasionally, never capable of making herself and her affections a novelty to him. And this is a fatal error on the part of any woman. —Exchange.

Napoleon's Famous War Horse.

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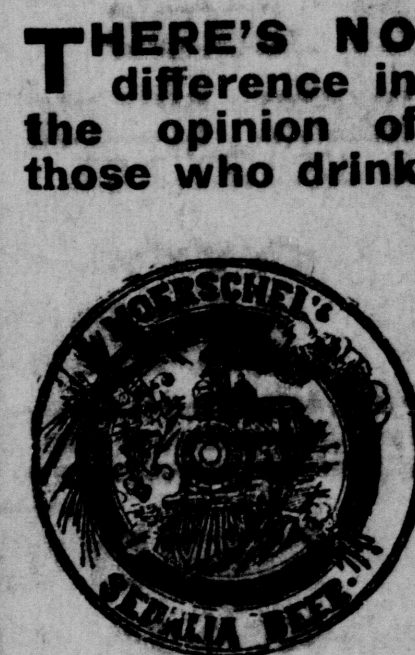
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Aldrich and Whitman.

T. B. Aldrich knew Walt Whitman and liked him personally, although he would never admit that Whitman was a poet except in here and there a single phrase. Many a time has the present writer endeavored to convert Mr. Aldrich from this state of heathen blindness as to Whitman's genius, but the debates used to end illogically with Mr. Aldrich's delightful story of a certain \$9 which Whitman once borrowed from him—magnificently, but, alas, irrevocably—in Pfaff's restaurant in Broadway.—Atlantic Monthly.



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Mother's Friend

MRS. GOULD GETS DIVORCE

But She Must Settle With Count Boni's Creditors.

Paris, July 16.—The appeal of Count Boni de Castellane from the decision of the court, November 14, granting a divorce to the Countess Boni de Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould, was dismissed yesterday afternoon and a final decree of divorce duly entered.

Although the count has still sixty days in which to appeal, the judgment of yesterday is regarded as final, as negotiations have been practically concluded by which Mme. Gould is to settle the cases of the creditors against herself and the count.

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Case Again Continued.

For the twentieth time, the case of Dill, charged with beating August Helfert out of board and lodging, was continued by Judge Rickman today until August 1.

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Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles; sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co., or two months' treatment by mail, for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials.

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A WITNESS OUT ON BOND

A. D. MERWIN SAYS HE KNOWS NOTHING OF DEATH OF BANKER'S FIRST WIFE.

WAS FAY GRAHAM AT THE HOUSE

Investigation Shows Dead Woman Purchased Chloroform and Strychnine—Case Growing More Mysterious.

Clinton, Ill., July 17.—Assistant State Attorney Mitchell says that he has developed that Mrs. Fay Graham Magill, second wife of Frederick H. Magill, both of whom are under arrest in San Diego, Cal., charged with poisoning Magill's first wife, spent the evening at the Magill home and was seen to leave the house at 2 o'clock on the morning when Mrs. Pet Magill was found dead in bed. Mrs. Fay Magill denies that she was at the house that night.

Another feature of the investigation was the development that Mrs. Pet Magill had purchased chloroform and strychnine from local druggists. Arthur D. Merwin, who was arrested, charged with operating a gaming house, but who, according to Attorney Mitchell, is wanted as a witness in the Magill case, is out on bail.

"There is nothing in this charge of my keeping a gambling house," said Merwin. "It will fall by the wayside, just as this gossip that connects me with the death of Mrs. Magill is bound to do."

"I was not at the Magill home until four hours after the death of Mrs. Pet Magill, and just as soon as the authorities are good enough to bring me to trial I shall show them that there is absolutely no reason to have me connected with this matter."

"I have been a good friend of Fred Magill for many years and when I found him in trouble, I was only too glad to do what I could to help him out. I lived at his house for three weeks after the death of his wife, but we never discussed the case, and at no time did he make any statement that would indicate that he had any guilty knowledge of her death."

Attorney E. B. Mitchell has engaged a score of private detectives to meet the train and protect Magill from possible violence when he arrives next week. It is planned to have the accused man and his wife arrive in Clinton at 2:30 o'clock in the morning and removed from the train to the jail without the knowledge of the townspeople.

Three local druggists say that Mrs. Pet Magill bought chloroform within a few weeks preceding her death. From one she bought strychnine, saying she wanted it to rid the cellar of rats.

These bottles which had held chloroform were found empty in the room when the litter surrounding the dead body was cleared away.

The body of Mrs. Magill is still in the Magill lot in the Woodlawn cemetery, where it was interred. The body has not yet been disturbed, because of the tangles of the law that surround such a proceeding. The statute says that any person wilfully disturbing a body in any cemetery shall be liable to a sentence in the penitentiary not to exceed a year.

This law has caused the delay in the autopsy. It was deemed necessary to secure a court order granting leave to remove the body, and communication was entered into with the attorney general and he was asked his view of the case. The attorney general asked for time to consider and the matter now awaits his answer.

Judge Hill, of Clinton, has gone to Springfield to confer with W. H. Stead on the subject.

When the requirements of the law are met the body will be exhumed. The examination will be private, and there will be no witnesses except those who take part. These will be Dr. C. W. Barnes, of Decatur, and Drs. G. S. Edmonson, C. S. Bogardus, J. C. Meyers and J. M. Wilcox, of Clinton.

Coroner Jones has issued a statement explaining why a more thorough investigation of the case was not made.

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Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

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Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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HOW HE GOT A POINTER ON A GAME

He Had What He Considered Inside Information, but Somehow It Failed to Pan Out Exactly Right.

DeWolf Hopper, who has been a thirty-third degree baseball fan for 20 years and who is on chummy terms with a good many of the players, tells this one on himself, says the New York Sun. "Any time I try to give myself any the best of it," he says in beginning the narrative, "the shids are put under me right while I'm standing up, and when it's all over I'm holding a bag with a rent in the bottom of it as big as a Leghorn hat."

"While in Chicago the other day I met up with one of the pitchers of one of the Chicago clubs—I'm not naming the pitcher or the club for reasons that'll appear. We did the act, and I asked him how he found himself going this year.

"Well, say, I've got to be a rank in and out, he replied, with the manner some ball players have of abusing themselves in private conversation. 'Got everything one day and the next day I pitch I can't get 'em over with the aid of a tube.'

"I told him to quit his kidding, but I remembered all the same that he really had pitched some wonderfully different games for his club since the beginning of this season.

"As we strolled along, fanning, 'How about it?' said my pitcher friend, jerking his thumb in the direction of a hotel cafe, and in we went. I figured that his would be a little mineral water or something soft, as mine was, but he said 'Beer.'

"I'm, beer for this pitching boy, hey?" said I to myself, and right then it occurred to me that the beer thing might account for his occasional punk games. We had the drink, however, and then I suggested another, and that was all right with him, and he had another beer.

"Who's going to work on the mound for your team today?" I asked him as he put away the second beer. "I guess I am," was his reply. "It's my turn, anyhow, and I guess I'll take the trick."

"Well that struck me as a queer thing—a pitcher beering up along toward 1 o'clock on the day he knew he was going to toss.

"Tastes pretty good to me, this malt," he said, after lapping up the second beer. 'Feel like I could lick up several gentles of this kind,' and he ordered another beer. We carried the glasses over to a table in a cool alcove of the cafe, where there was an electric fan, and then he began to put away a whole lot more beers.

After that had been happening for some time I remembered that I was out for some luncheon, and he said that he felt a bit better, too, and so we each had a large plateful of frankfurters and sauerkraut, he taking more beer with his. After disposing of the food part of it we just sat there for about another half hour, he taking beer right along.

"When we separated, about half-past 1, I had counted up 15 beers that my pitching friend had put under his waist."

"Here," said I to myself, 'is where I get a little bet down. I like that boy a whole lot, and he is sure a marvelous tosser when he is right. But I'm not going to let mere liking interfere with my getting hold of a piece of easy change. That pitching boy has had fifteen beers. Probably he'll drop in somewhere and take three or four more before he glides into his uniform. Now it doesn't

seem reasonable to me that any boy, no matter how clever and husky, can pitch any kind of a game when he has fifteen or twenty malts under his surcingle. It can't be did. Me to go after somebody easy and plant a little bet with him on the other team.'

"So I immediately got busy hunting up a mark. I found one without the least trouble right in the cafe. He laid me \$150 to \$100 against the other team. And I couldn't help but feel like a mean dog to take advantage that way.

"Who's going to lob for the Chicago?" he asked me. "I named the pitcher that I'd seen beering up only a little while before. 'Oho!' said he. 'I guess that makes it poor for me,' for he knew what a swell pitcher the man was who'd done the malting.

"Then again I felt like somebody gouging a mark by means of a trick. But I argued it off with myself that everything is fair in baseball and politics.

"I was in fear that the manager of his club might discover that he'd been sudsing up on beer before the game and keep him out of the box, but no, when I got to the park there he was warming up hard for his go in. But he looked mighty red in the face, and I felt confident that he'd get pounded off the mound in the first inning.

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